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MAY BE SAFE.

Unexpected News About the Missing Ships.

The J. B. Brown Sighted Far Out at Sea.

Nothing Serious Thought to Have Happened the Columbia.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—The bark Wilma, which arrived this morning, seventeen days from Nanaimo, brings cheering news to the owners of one of the long overdue sailing vessels.

The Wilma reports that on the 23d instant, 170 miles north of Cape Mendocino, she spoke a ship supposed to be the J. B. Brown.

It is now twenty-three days since the J. B. Brown sailed from Nanaimo with a cargo of coal.

THE COLUMBIA'S PLIGHT.

The passenger steamer Columbia which left here yesterday forenoon for Astoria and Portland, was reported in distress off Point Reyes, last evening.

The report came from Point Reyes telegraph station, and stated that though the Columbia was lying in the trough of the sea, making no heading and blowing her whistle continuously, she displayed no signals of distress.

Neither did the Columbia speak to the steamer Wilamette when that vessel passed her at 6 o'clock in the evening.

The tug Fearless, which was hastily dispatched late last night, came back to port this morning and reported that she could not find the Columbia.

It is now believed that the Columbia was only temporarily disabled, the machinery having broken down, and that the damage was repaired at sea.

It is believed the whistle was blown to attract the attention of the freight steamer George W. Elder, which belongs to the same line and left port yesterday evening.

The Elder was due to pass Port Reyes about the time that the Columbia was reported in distress.

WAR WHISPERS.

Mourning Carried to Many a Japanese Home.

YOKOHAMA, December 26.—The Japanese forces commanded by Field Marshal Oyama lost two officers and fifty-two men killed and had twelve officers and 356 men wounded in the recent engagement with Chinese troops commanded by General Sung, in the vicinity of New Chwang.

The Corean Government has declined to borrow 5,000,000 yen from the Japanese Government and the Government of Corea will issue notes to the amount of 15,000,000 yen.

COXEY AND BROWNE.

The 'Wealers Still Working for Their Cause.

CHICAGO, December 25.—Jacob S. Coxey arrived at the Auditorium today.

He will go to St. Louis to urge the adoption of his bill as a Populist measure, by the conference of Populist leaders, which convenes there this week.

Carl Browne has gone ahead to agitate the matter in advance of the conference.

He will present a long preamble, reciting the inadequacy of the present monetary system by resolution which reads:

"We are in favor of free and unlimited coinage of silver in the ratio of 18 to 1, and the Coxey non-interest-bearing bond plan."

HARDIN HELD.

The Express Messenger Is in the Woods Yet.

CHICAGO, December 26.—It is not improbable that Express Messenger C. K. Hardin, again under arrest, will be retried for the alleged theft of $35,000 from Wells, Fargo & Co., of which he was acquitted at Nashville last October.

Hardin was re-arrested on a charge of threatening to kill a domestic who refused to tell him his wife's address, but it was stated this charge was merely to hold the man, as the express company had obtained additional and convincing evidence against him.

Wells-Fargo officials, however, denied today that they had anything to do with the arrest.

THE BALANCE OF POWER.

Republicans May Defeat the Currency Bill.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—Among the few members of the House who were at the Capitol today the prevailing opinion seemed that the Republicans had it all in their power to pass or defeat the Currency bill.

The Democratic vote, it is said by one who has fully canvassed the situation, will be about evenly divided.

The Republicans are generally expected to vote against the measure.

Ended in a Deadlock.

NEW ORLEANS, December 26.—The jury in the bribery case against Councilman William J. Kane and Francis B. Thiffily, which has been locked up since Saturday, was called into court this morning and a mis-trial entered. The jury, it is said, stood eight for conviction and four for acquittal.

The Wreck Near Nashville.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., December 26.—Beyond bruises, no passengers were hurt in the wreck last night of the Louisville and Nashville passenger train near Brentwood. Engineer Shugar and Fireman Petit, who were scalded, and Postal Clerk Starr, who had a rib broken, are doing well.

A BAD BREAK UP.

Two Passenger Trains Collide in Texas.

Many of the Travelers Are Very Much Hurt.

One of the Coaches Knocked Squarely in the Center.

WAXAHACHIE, Tex., December 26.—The Katy south-bound and west-bound Houston and Texas Central trains collided at a crossing a mile north of this city last night.

The engineer of the "Katy" ran into the rear coach of the Houston and Texas Central, striking it about midway, tearing the seats up and scattering the coach fixtures about promiscously.

The injured are:

J. T. Edling, Omaha, side, arm and head bruised.

T. J. Hester, Corsicana, broken rib, bruised about the head.

George Clark, Sardis, hip hurt.

Mrs. Enos, Waxahatchie, thought to be fatally injured.

Lee Vance and wife of Mexia, both dangerously bruised, injured internally.

Taylor, cut on head.

W. F. Caron, Wallis, Tex., seriously injured about the head and hips.

E. B. Harold, Fort Wor[illegible] about head.

Miss Katie Burroughs, Waxahatchie, slightly bruised about head.

William Clarkson, Corsicana, gash in head, badly injured.

Bob Mays, engineer, of Katy, both legs hurt.

Walter Elmer, Fort Worth, train boy, left arm out of place and left hip slightly injured.

M. V. Sharp, right side face and right thigh bruised.

J. H. Manson, Enis, Tex., brakeman, head and breast seriously injured.

Connally, Waxahatchie, slightly injured.

LIKE M'WHIRTER.

A Mysterious Murder at Lexington, Kentucky.

LEXINGTON, Ky., December 26.—Burley C. Logan, a member of the hardware firm of Logan & Higgins, and a prominent ex-Confederate, was mysteriously shot in the yard at the rear of his residence, between 6 and 7 o'clock this morning.

His family heard the shots and found him with a fatal wound in the back of his head.

A pistol was found by his side with four chambers empty, but the wounds seem impossible to have been self-inflicted.

COCKRAN AND CROKER.

The Great Row Creating a Good Deal of Interest.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—Representative Bourke Cockran will not attend the meeting of the Executive Committee of Tammany Hall next Saturday.

Being called by John G. Martin, immediately following the bitter personal arraignment of Cockran by ex-Chief Croker, it was regarded as a means to bring the two face to face.

Cockran will say nothing regarding Croker's statement.

COURT NOTES.

Matters Brought Up Before the Superior Judges.

Charles C. Schwebs has filed a supplemental cross-complaint in the suit for a divorce instituted against him by his wife, Mary Schwebs, who charged him with cruelty. Schwebs now declares that his wife left him on September 3, 1892, without any cause and he asks that he be granted a divorce on the ground of desertion.

County Clerk Crane this morning appointed D. A. Sinclair a deputy. Mr. Sinclair will also be a deputy under County Clerk-elect Jordan. Sinclair was an independent candidate for County Clerk at the late election.

Under Sheriff Harlow filed his bond in court this morning as a commissioner to sell the property involved in the suit of Daniel Meyer against Montgomery Howe and others. The suit was decided in favor of Meyer. Mr. Harlow's bondsmen are William Kohler and J. Lavorel.

I. G. Wickersham has appealed to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Superior Court denying him a new trial in his suit against James L. Crittenden and others.

Harry E. Belden, Charles A. Sessions and W. W. Jacobs have been appointed by Judge Frick to appraise the estate of Rose Orton Keefe, deceased.

The estate of Edward Quinn, deceased, has been appraised at $1400 by Martinez Smith and C. T. Wood.

Genevive G. Clark has been appointed guardian of the persons and estates of John Folsom Clark and Anna Clark, minors.

Judge Ellsworth has appointed A. A. Moore to represent Rosa, James H. and Creighton Hamilton, minor heirs of the late J. H. Hamilton, in certain matters connected with the estate.

Judge Frick has selected John Young, W. F. Kroll and Charles Heidt to appraise the estate of George M. Francis, who died in Alameda a few days ago.

The second trial of Loren Fox's suit against the Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company was continued until February 27th.

The inventory and appraisement of the estates of Mary, Ethel and Bessie Bradford, minors, has been filed in court by the appraisers, John Fearn, M. T. Holcomb and A. M. Benham. They value the estate at $850.

Shot in Prison.

COLUMBUS, O., December 26.—J. C. Temple, a prison guard, shot and killed today Joseph Oday, a prisoner of Cleveland, who was in for forgery. Oday and two other prisoners assaulted Temple because he reported them for infraction of the rules.

SOME PRESENTS SANTA CLAUS GROVER WILL NOT DELIVER.

LEO'S LEVEE.

Officers of the Detroit Visit the Vatican.

A Kindly Welcome Extended by the Pope.

The Stars and Stripes Floating in the Palace Hall.

ROME, December 26.—The Pope at noon today, in the throne room of the Vatican, received the officers of the United States cruiser Detroit, which recently arrived at Naples with Vatican relics exhibited at the World's Fair.

The American officers were presented to Mgr. O'Connell, who expressed in their name, and in the name of President Cleveland, thanks for the papa participation in the Chicago Exposition.

His Holiness replied in terms of great affection and praised the progress, activity and liberty of the United States.

The audience lasted half an hour and at its conclusion all the officers went to Cardinal Rampolla, the Papal officer of State, and presented their compliments.

Later the officers dined at the American College.

The hall was decorated with the stars and stripes.

Among those present were: United States Ambassador Wayne Macveagh, H. R. Whitehouse, Secretary of the Legation; United States Naval Attache General Hardy and Rev. Dr. Riordan.

SEEN IN A HUMAN EYE.

A Chance to Detect the Murderer of Mrs. Shearman.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., December 26.—The arrest of George W. Depew, on suspicion of being the murderer of Mrs. Winslow Shearman and her daughter, Mrs. Clinton, has caused great excitement here.

One or two persons who saw him say that his appearance corresponds with the description of the image of the man seen in Mrs. Shearman's eye, as if standing in a stooping position.

The discussion over the possibility of identifying the murderer by an image left on the retina of the eye has been revived with interest here.

It is said the image was blurred by the removal of the eye from the socket.

Those removing it remember the image so well, they say, they could identify the man from the general outline.

Before the removal of the eye the image was sharply defined.

Even the wrinkles in the clothes were plainly seen by the aid of the microscope.

COHEN CAN GO.

He Turned Informer and Secured His Liberty.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—In the Superior Court this morning Judge Wallace instructed the jury to acquit Louis Cohen of the charge of perjury, growing out of the Baldwin Hotel registration frauds.

It was held that Cohen, as an informer against Steinberg, another culprit, was entitled to immunity under the Purity of Elections law.

Grave Robbers.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., December 26.—James E. Curry, ex-Sheriff of Johnson county, was buried a week ago. Today his body was found in an undertaking establishment in this city, undissected. Efforts will be made to prosecute the grave robbers.

A Military Governor.

ST. PETERSBURG, December 26.—Count Schouvaloff, late Minister at Berlin, has been appointed Military Governor of Warsaw, succeeding General Gourko, who resigned December 1st.

Death of Abram Van Fleet.

NEWARK, N. J., December 26.—Vice Chancellor Abram Van Fleet died suddenly of heart disease at midnight, aged 64 years.

RENEGADE REDS

Agent Day's Pursuit of the Missing Utes.

A Hard, Long Ride Across the Valley Trails.

The Indians Are Starving and Far From the Agency.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—The first information from Agent Day since the agreement of the Southern Ute Indians to return from the invaded lands in Utah to the reservation in Colorado is given in the following dispatch received today:

"DOLORES, Col., December 24.—Colonel Lawton, Interpreter Smith and myself arrived last night, having been six days and part of three nights in the saddle.

"We scouted the approaches to the Indian valley, crossing Dry valley from north to south and from Carliste's ranch north to the Lisbon valley trail.

"We located fifteen lodges of renegade Indians and eleven Utes, there having been but thirteen lodges of Utes off the reserve in Utah.

"The supply expense of returning Governor West's mammoth invasion has been $39 70.

"However, the trip was made through mud and snow, and the entire tribe of Winiuches and their ponies are in a deplorable condition, and 110 miles from the agency.

"Wire me authority to ship supplies from Ignacio.

A thousand dollars will be ample.

"I reaffirm all I have written regarding affairs and re-assert the war and interior departments have been grossly misled."

FOR COURT COMMISSIONER.

Many Applicants Are Now Seeking the Office.

Attorney Fred Whitney's term of office as Court Commissioner will expire in the middle of January. Already there are a number of applicants out who are anxious to succeed him. The Superior Judges will make the appointment. The Judges have not consulted on the subject as yet. Mr. Whitney has twice been appointed Court Commissioner of this county. The Commissioner gets his salary in fees.

MANY APPLICANTS.

Young Attorneys Anxious to Assist the District Attorney.

District Attorney Snook will appoint two assistants in his office after the first of the year. He has received more than a score of applications for the positions, but he has not yet made his mind as to who he will appoint. There are a number of young lawyers who are anxious to assist Mr. Snook.

Prepared for the Cold Spell.

Tom Johnson entered the room of J. Cross in the Smith House yesterday and carried off two overcoats. He was arrested by Officer Quigley and this morning appeared in the Police Court in answer to a charge of burglary. The charge was reduced to petty larceny, to which Johnson agreed to plead guilty, and he was sentenced to spend the next six months in the City Prison.

Attorney for the Sheriff.

Sheriff-elect White will appoint E. A. Holman as his attorney when he takes his office. The position is worth about $75 a month. Mr. White's deputies have already been announced in THE TRIBUNE.

The Color Line Crusade.

ATLANTA, Ga., December 26.—The race troubles in Brooks county are over. The Valdosta Videttes have returned to their homes, and the mob has disappeared. Waverly Pike, for whose capture the mob was organized, is still at large.

It Will Be Frosty.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—Northern California: Fair; probably slightly warmer Thursday; continued severe frosts tonight.

HIS LIFE LOST.

Saloonkeeper Christ Is at the Morgue.

Coroner Evers Will Investigate the Tragedy.

Conflicting Tales as to How the End Was Brought About.

William Christ, proprietor of the saloon at the southeast corner of Fifteenth street and Telegraph avenue, is lying on a slab at the Morgue. The doctors say his death was caused by a complication of pneumonia and *mania potu*, while his friends believe that a Fitzsimmons blow which F. H. Fields, a gripman on the San Pablo avenue cable line, delivered on the dead man's jaw Thanksgiving night had considerable to do with the tragedy.

The accounts of the circumstance under which the blow was struck are conflicting. The dead man's friends state that while standing in front of the San Pablo avenue power house watching some carmen quarreling Fields walked up and felled the saloon man. The latter dropped to the ground unconscious, but recovered in a short time and went home. His jaw began to trouble him within a few days and it was found that it was fractured. He caught cold recently and was forced to take to his bed. Yesterday he became delirious and this morning at 8 o'clock died.

Fields' friends tell a radically different story. They claim that on the night in question Christ came to the power house in question half intoxicated, looking for trouble. He found it, for Fields punched him in the jaw.

The doctors state that the blow had little if anything to do with the man's death. They claim that he had been drinking hard and contracted pneumonia. A couple of days ago delirium tremens set in, and the double affliction was the cause of death.

To settle the matter beyond on all controversy Coroner Evers will hold an inquest tomorrow night.

Fields, on hearing of the saloonkeeper's death this morning, surrendered himself to the police, but no charge was placed against him and he was allowed to go. He is a single man and resides at 1728 San Pablo avenue.

Christ was also a single man. He was a native of Germany and 28 years old. He lodged at Winter's Hotel.

SEXTON WELL TREATED.

He Is in the Best Room at the County Jail.

John E. Sexton, the ex-private detective of the Southern Pacific Company, who was indicted by the grand jury for forgery a few days ago, is enjoying his imprisonment in the County Jail. He has been assigned to the finest quarters in the prison, and he occupies the same cell as did such noted guests as the late Judge Terry, Mrs. Mary Martin and Colonel Cienfuegos. Sexton told the jail officials that he prefers to stay in the prison until his trial, because he can live cheaper there than he can on the outside. When the case comes to trial he will make a hard fight to secure his acquittal. He has already engaged Colonel Thomas F. Garrity, one of Oakland's leading attorneys, to defend him, and he may also be represented by Carroll Cook of San Francisco.

Miners on Strike.

MASSILLON, O., December 26.—The miners employed at the Anderson mines have declined to accept the rate of 60 cents a ton fixed by the Arbitration Committee and are idle today. It is thought that all the miners of the Massillon district will soon cease work.

The Wheat Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—Wheat, firm; May, 99; December, 92. Barley, dull; December, 86; May, 91¼.

CHICAGO, December 26.—Wheat, December, 54; May, 58⅜. Corn, December, 45¾; January, 45¼.

In Port.

NEW YORK, December 26.—Arrived—Werra, from Genoa; Circassia, from Glasgow.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, December 26.—Silver, 59¾; lead, $3 (broker's price).

GAY GHOSTS.

They Answered Present at the Smith Seances.

The Trumpet Medium on the Witness Stand.

She Says That She Started Spiritualism When a Child.

Mrs. Mary Smith was on the witness stand in the Superior Court today to answer the charges that have been made against her in the contest to the will of Mrs. Lemon. The "trumpet medium" gave her testimony in a quiet way and declared that she had never influenced Mrs. Lemon.

Mrs. Smith said that she has been a spiritualist for many years. She has been holding seances ever since she was 8 years old, she says. The witness denied that she was a public medium. However, she had given seances where money was charged, but the payment was not compulsory. Mrs. Smith said that she would not call herself a public medium. At most of her seances, she said, those in attendance were there by invitation.

"I was well and intimately acquainted with Mrs. Lemon," said the witness. "I believe that she was of sound mind. I base my reasoning from her conversations and actions. I never gave her any communications from spirits regarding her property. She never received any communication from spirits in my presence regarding her business affairs. I never gave her any communication from the spirit of Peter Mitchell regarding her property. I never saw anything to indicate that Mrs. Lemon was an intemperate woman. She was not a weak woman, but, on the contrary, I considered her a very positive woman.

"I have never been a mesmerist nor a hypnotist, nor did I in any way attempt to control the will of Mrs. Lemon. I never encouraged Mrs. Lemon to believe that I was a spiritualistic medium. I never did a single thing to induce her to believe that I had powers. During all this time I was a spiritualist and she believed the same.

"When I first met Mrs. Lemon her views were the same as mine regarding spiritualism. I never encouraged Mrs. Lemon to intemperance nor did I induce her to use drugs. I am a temperate woman. During the time that I knew Mrs. Lemon she was not mentally weak.

"I never told Mrs. Lemon that I had received a message from the spirits to the effect that she must sell her property and come to California so that she could be near her medium. Mrs. Lemon told me that she had consulted mediums since 1851. I do not know whether she reposed more confidence in me than in other mediums.

"Mrs. Lemon told me that she considered Mrs. Aitken of San Francisco a very honest medium. Mrs. Lemon spoke to me about Valentine Mott. She said that he was her husband and that she was very much devoted to him and he was devoted to her. I never heard her say that he was her spiritual husband and that he had prepared a mansion for her in the other world.

"Mrs. Lemon expressed a desire that her body be burned after death. Her wish was carried out. There were a number of friends present. I was there and so was my husband. The ceremony was performed at Cypress Lawn."

BRIBED A CAPTAIN.

A Hard Deal on a New York Police Officer.

NEW YORK, December 26.—Ex-Police Captain John L. Stephenson was sentenced by Judge Ingraham today to three years and nine months' imprisonment in Sing Sing and to pay $1000 fine.

On December 12th, after a trial which lasted three days, the ex-captain was found guilty of bribery, he having, while in charge of the Fifth precinct, received four baskets of peaches from Martin L. Edwards, a produce dealer.

MRS. LE CONTE'S FUNERAL.

The Services Held at Berkeley This Afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. Eleanor J. Le Conte, who was burned to death last Sunday, took place this afternoon from the family residence, corner of Mark street and Dwight Way, Berkeley. The services were largely attended, as the deceased had a great many friends. Rev. Benjamin Akerly, who was a lifelong friend of the deceased, conducted the services at the house. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

The pallbearers were President Martin Kellogg, Professor Frank Soule, Benjamin Morgan, Warring Wilkinson, A. M. Sutton, Professor George C. Edwards and A. S. Hallidie. The interment was in Mountain View Cemetery.

MUST GIVE BONDS.

Street Car Men Will Have to Obey a New Rule.

An order has been issued that all the street car men in this city in the employ of the Pacific Improvement Company must give a bond in the sum of $250 for the faithful performance of their duty. The employes who do not desire to comply with the new rule have the option to resign. The object of the rule is to make the men more attentive to business. The order takes in the men employed on the Telegraph avenue and San Pablo avenue liner. About 160 men will now have to put up bonds. Most of them will secure bonds from the Pacific Surety Company.

Smith Not in It.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., December 26.—George B. Smith, the third man implicated in the Roscoe train robbery, was taken before Justice Austin this morning and discharged. Alva Johnson, the robber, saying he had nothing to do with the robbery. Smith is 68 years old.

SEVENTH STREET GATES.

Hundreds of Protestants to the Crossing Ordinances.

Tonight the City Council meets again as a Committee of the Whole to give the protestants to the gate ordinances another hearing. The meeting is to be held in response to a request made by the representatives of the railroad company last Wednesday night, stating that they would like to have an opportunity allowed to Messrs. Towne and Curtis, both of whom were then at El Paso, to explain to the Council what would be necessary to be done to put such gate ordinances in operation should they be adopted. In the meantime people owning property and residing in the territory south of Seventh street are signing a protest against the gates, and many hundreds of names have been attached to them already.

JUST WHAT WAS WANTED.

A Useful Present Made to Rev. Frank Hinckley.

WEST OAKLAND, December 26, 1894.

Editor Tribune—SIR: The undersigned was the recipient of a gift of $75 in gold on Christmas eve, just after he had made the remark that the entertainment was done and that he wished all the people of West Oakland and their friends a Merry Christmas. George Collyer, the well known post-office clerk, suddenly came to the platform and approaching me handed me a box with the request that I open it and read the note before the audience was dismissed. The note read as follows:

"*To Mr. Frank E. Hinckley*: In appreciation of your ceaseless labor for and constant devotion to the cause of Christ and his gospel in West Oakland, and knowing your desire to possess a certain library, we, your Oakland friends, take great pleasure in presenting you the means with which to procure it."

My friends did not know that this gift of $75 can purchase for me at this time a library in the East which numbers approximately 200 volumes of the choicest works in theology and the history of Christianity. This library belongs in part to a Mr. Edwin Waldo, with whom I was associated in work at Hull House in Chicago. The young man graduated from Yale with the finest promise of prominence in Christian Sociology, but was so burdened with work of relief for the poor in Chicago last winter that his nervous system was broken and he is now almost hopelessly imbecile. Mr. Waldo continuing firm in his desire to do all men good and knowing that he cannot use this library himself, has desired that I should have it. The remainder of the library is to be purchased of Professor Zueblin of the University of Chicago. After graduating from the Northwestern University at Evanston in 1887, Professor Zueblin studied at the University of Leipsic and at that time expected to become a preacher. Having turned his attention of late years to the work of university extension he can dispense with a part of his ministerial library, and he has been so good as to give me the first opportunity of inspection and purchase. It will thus be seen that the gift of $75 at this time means a receipt of books whose closest market value when purchased as a lot would amount to more than $250.

I cannot say how I acted or what I said when I received the gift. I only know that all through the following night, Mr. Editor, your West Oakland minister dreamed of books and planned more in a few hours for this worthy part of your city than he had been able to plan in several days past. Usually the minister sleeps well, but after this occasion his happiness and Santa Claus' goodness gave him several waking hours and many stirring purposes.

FRANK E. HINCKLEY.

A BRUTAL CRIME.

Ed Ranlett Determined to Kill His Brother.

Ed Ranlett, the butcher, who shot his brother, F. H. Ranlett, at Rodeo Saturday night, has been arrested by Constable Scanlan of Contra Costa county and lodged in jail at Martinez.

The dead man was a deputy sheriff. Saturday afternoon he arrested a man at Pinole for mayhem. His brother was present when the arrest was made and protested strongly. The officer brought the prisoner to Rodeo and was followed by his brother. On reaching Rodeo Ed Ranlett made an attempt to rescue his brother's prisoner. He was warned that unless he desisted he would also be locked up. The fellow immediately drew a pistol and shot his brother through the stomach. The wound was fatal, and the dying man fell to the ground. As he struggled in his dying agony his unnatural brother placed the pistol to his neck and fired again.

Both men are well known throughout Alameda and Contra Costa counties.

A SHOW PLACE GONE.

The Cliff House, San Francisco, Is in Ashes.

San Francisco's celebrated land mark, the Cliff House, was completely destroyed by fire last night at 8 o'clock. The fire broke out in a defective flue near the parlor. It was not discovered until after the parlor was filled with smoke and the flames had eaten their way up between the walls of the partition. Several fire extinguishers and reels of hose connecting with the reservoir on Sutro Heights were brought into requisition, but without staying the progress of the flames.

Only a few of the pictures in the resort were saved. One of the rescued ones was an immense photograph of the original Pioneers' Society, comprising over 500 individuals.

The Cliff House was owned by Mayor-elect Sutro. It was built in 1858. It was San Francisco's most famous resort. No traveler ever visited San Francisco without paying a visit to it. In it dined the most celebrated people of every country who have visited the metropolis.

Manager Wilkins had his furniture insured for $8000. There was no insurance on the building.

See What Snaps

You can get for Xmas in jewelry, diamonds and watches, and on such easy terms that you will not feel the expenses. See our stock. M. M. Heineman, room 26, Chronicle Building, San Francisco.

Did Not Steal the Wheel.

Charles Atkinson, who was arrested Monday on a charge of stealing a bicycle from George Faulkner, was discharged on examination in the Police Court this afternoon, as he proved he had no criminal intent in attempting to pawn the wheel.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

CONRAD! CONRAD! CONRAD!

In accepting the Presidency of the Honduras National Lottery Company (Louisiana State Lottery Company) I shall not surrender the Presidency of the Gulf Coast Ice and Manufacturing Company, of Bay St. Louis, Miss.

Therefore address all proposals for supplies, machinery, etc., as well as all business communications, to PAUL CONRAD, Puerta Cortez, Honduras,
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It needs only to be said that the soil of this vineyard is volcanic in its origin and hence produces pure Wine and Brandy in the highest degree of perfection.

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The Brooks Divorce

In a recent issue of THE TRIBUNE it was stated that J. M. Brooks had instituted divorce proceedings against Emma G. Brooks. This was an error. The divorce proceedings were begun by Mrs. Brooks against her husband.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	AGE.
Eugene Francis Garrison,	Oakland	21
Mary Brophy,	Oakland	20
Manuel Pereira Cardoza,	Tassajara	45
Maria Joaquina da Silva,	Pleasanton	36

Tom Bailey Arrested.

Tom Bailey was arrested this afternoon by Officer Carson on a warrant from Tracy, where Bailey is alleged to have defrauded a hotel keeper out of $2.

Dow's House Afire.

An alarm was turned in at 1:45 o'clock this afternoon for a rag fire in Councilman Dow's residence on Twenty-third avenue. The damage was slight.

Federal Court After Sexton.

The forgery against J. E. Sexton has been stricken from the Police Court calendar, as his offenses have passed into the hands of the Federal Court.

Christmas Gifts.

Among our hand-painted novelties are to be found glove boxes, handkerchief boxes, spectacle boxes, razor boxes, cuff and collar boxes, calendars, writing pads, blotters, card holders. Prices range from 25c to $2.50. Kenney & Wells' art sale, 1110 Broadway.

Dolls and Toys.

At H. Schellhaas, Eleventh street.

James E. Pepper's celebrated whisky on sale by E. F. Thayer, 464 Eighth street.

Christmas Tree Ornaments.

Toys and holiday goods at H. Schellhaas.

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☞ The funeral will take place TOMORROW (Thursday), at 9 o'clock A. M., from her late residence, No. 1320 East Fourteenth street. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend the solemn requiem mass at St. Francis de Sales Church, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

SCHOLL—In this city, December 25, 1894, Therese, wife of C. F. Scholl and mother of Mrs. Von der Horst, a native of Germany, aged 71 years, 11 months and 27 days.

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AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance Fixing the Rates and Compensation for the Sale, Rental or Distribution of Water by the Contra Costa Water Company, a Corporation, in the County of Alameda, Other Than in Any City or Town Therein.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE county of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Whereas, a petition has been heretofore presented to this board to regulate and control the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein, and the said petition, together with a notice of the time and place of hearing thereof, has been published and posted for the time and in the manner required by law, and at the time fixed for said hearing, and subsequent times to which the said hearing was regularly postponed, All persons interested in the matters of said petition, who desired to be heard have been heard by this board, and this board now having duly considered all the statements, facts and evidence presented to it, and this board, having from its estimates made therefrom, determined and concluded that the rates hereinafter designated will be equal, reasonable and just, both to the rate payers and to the said corporation, and within the rule and limits prescribed by law. The following monthly maximum rates and compensation are hereby fixed and established, to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution by it of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein.

For houses or tenements occupied by a single family, and public or private buildings not including water for baths, water-closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, tenement or building), covering a ground surface of

Square Feet.	One Story.	Two Stories.	Three Stories and Upwards.
1 to 100	$ 45	$ 60	$ 75
101 " 500	50	85	95
501 " 600	65	90	1 10
601 " 700	75	1 15	1 30
701 " 800	85	1 25	1 45
801 " 900	95	1 40	1 65
901 " 1000	1 05	1 55	1 80
1001 " 1200	1 10	1 65	1 90
1201 " 1400	1 25	1 75	2 00
1401 " 1600	1 40	2 05	2 10
1601 " 1800	1 55	2 20	2 20
1801 " 2000	1 70	2 35	2 35
2001 " 2200	1 85	2 50	2 55
2201 " 2400	1 90	2 65	2 65
2401 " 2600	1 95	2 75	2 80
2601 " 2800	2 00	2 85	2 90
2801 " 3000	2 05	2 95	2 95
3001 " 3200	2 10	3 05	3 00
3201 " 3400	2 65	3 45	3 50
3401 " 3600	2 70	3 50	3 55
3601 " 3800	2 75	3 60	3 65
3801 " 4000	2 80	3 70	3 75

For houses, tenements or buildings of one story, covering a ground area of more than 4000 square feet five (5) cents for each additional 200 square feet or fractional part thereof shall be added, and for two stories fifty per cent., and for three stories and upwards seventy-five per cent. shall be further added to the rate for one story.

Where a single house, dwelling or tenement is occupied by more than one family, in addition to the foregoing rates one-half of said rates for each additional family.

Hotels, taverns and boarding houses (not including water for baths, water closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house or building) shall be charged for each guest, boarder and lodger within the same, in addition to the rates above specified, $0 10.

For each day boarder, $0 05.

Lodging houses, buildings containing business offices, and boarding schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each person occupying, lodging, living or staying within the same, $0.08.

Public and private day schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each pupil, $0 01.

Stores, offices, banks, warehouses, blacksmith shops, churches, halls and business premises, taking water only for ordinary purposes, at the rates specified.

Tonsolons, places of amusement, bear halls, groceries, restaurants, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, confectioneries, photograph galleries, printing offices, green houses, horse troughs, soda fountains, engine houses, according to the estimated quantity of water used, at from $0 75 to $7 50 or, in case of disagreement in estimates, at meter rates, as herein.

For slaughter houses, breweries, bottling establishments, railroads, steam engines, powers, motors, elevators, mills, manufactories, jails, laundries, or for other purposes not specially rated in this schedule, and requiring a large quantity of water, according to the quantity of water used, at meter rates.

For water closet for use in one private dwelling, $1.50.

Each additional water closet for use in one private dwelling, $0 75.

For each water closet for use of hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, saloons, public houses, public buildings, or public premises, or in a position accessible to or used by other than one private family, $1 75.

For each urinal accessible to other than one private family, $0 25.

Each urinal for use in one private dwelling, $0 15.

For each bath tub in private dwelling, $0 40.

For each bathtub in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools or accessible to other than one private family, $0 75.

Each bathtub in bathing establishments and barber shops, $1 25.

Swimming baths at meter rates.

Irrigation of lawns, gardens and grounds, five mills (½ cent) per square yard per month, payable every month in the year; *provided*, that there shall be no charge for irrigation less than $2 40 per year.

For water used for washing sidewalks, windows, fronts of buildings and stores, for the first twenty-five lineal front feet facing the street, one cent per lineal foot; for each additional lineal front foot, one-half a cent. Hose used for these purposes shall not have a nozzle larger than ¾ of an inch in diameter of orifice.

For horse kept in private stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 40.

Each horse kept in livery stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 75.

Each car, stage, omnibus, saddle and draught horse and mule, $0 25.

Provided, that in no case shall any stable be charged less than $0 40.

Each cow, $0 15.

For water to make mortar, for each one thousand brick used, $0 15.

For water to slack each barrel of lime used for any purpose other than for laying bricks, $0 25.

For water to moisten each barrel of cement used, $0 05.

For water used to settle earth when replacing it in a ditch or excavation, for each cubic yard of earth, $0 01.

Bakeries, according to the monthly use of flour, for each twenty-five barrels or fractional part thereof, $1 00.

For water furnished for any and all other purposes not otherwise embraced in this schedule shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

Forty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2 50.

Thirty-five cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $25 00.

Thirty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $50 00.

For the water used for sprinkling streets and roads by the county of Alameda its officers, employes or those contracting with the county for the work of sprinkling said streets and roads, or used by persons authorized by the county or its officers, shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons, the quantity so used to be determined by meters or by an accurate monthly account to be kept by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road District, of the number of casks or sprinkling wagon loads used, of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, and the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, correct copies of said accounts to be furnished by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road District monthly, at the close of each calendar month, to the Contra Costa Water Company.

Water used by the county of Alameda, its officers or employes, or persons authorized by the county or its officers, for flushing and cleaning sewers shall be supplied through meters only, and the quantity of water so used shall be charged to and paid for by the county, monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons. The rate of compensation to be charged and collected monthly from the county of Alameda for water supplied to, and by, and through fire hydrants for fire purposes, and for the protection against fire shall afforded, and not including water used or taken by, through or from fire hydrants for any other purposes, shall be three dollars per month for each fire hydrant.

Section 2. The monthly rates due and collectable under this ordinance shall be payable monthly in advance, except the rates for water furnished by meter or for public uses, which shall be payable at the end of each calendar month; and all water rates, except the rates for water for public use, if not paid within fifteen days after becoming due, shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Section 3. The Contra Costa Water Company shall, by authorized agents, make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for water, or upon a consumers request for a readjustment of rates, and shall designate rates strictly in accordance with those herein established.

Said agents shall have free access, during reasonable hours, to all premises supplied with water, for the purpose of ascertaining and designating rates; and should it appear from such examination that any consumer is excessively using or is wasting water, said consumer shall be supplied at meter rates as herein.

Section 4. This ordinance fixes the maximum water rates beyond which the said Contra Costa Water Company shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of April, A. D., 1895.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, December 24, 1894, by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Bailey, Martin, Johnston and Pelonze.

Noes—None.

Absent, Chairman Morgan.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman pro tem of Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, State of California.

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THE POPULISTS.

They Will Discuss the Plans of the Party.

A Meeting of the Leaders in St. Louis.

The Conference May Result in Some Radical Changes.

CHICAGO, December [illegible].—There was a [illegible] of local leaders of the People's party to St. Louis to [illegible] to attend a national conference of leading members of that organization which will be held in that city on Friday and Saturday. The conference promises to be one of the liveliest political events of the season, and as a consequence there will be a large Chicago contingent present.

Taking the Chicago contingent as a basis of representation the conference will be participated in by several hundred leading members of the party coming from nearly every State in the Union. Among the leaders who have signified their intention of being present are Senator [illegible] and Jerry Simpson of Kansas, Chairman Maxwell of the Illinois State Central Committee, Congressman Pence of Colorado, Senator Kyle of South Dakota, George Schilling of Milwaukee, Governor Lewelling of Kansas, Tom Watson of Georgia, and others prominent in Populist politics. The conference may result in some radical changes in the party programme.

Three diverse elements will, it is said, be found in the conference and each will seek to make its own views a part of the party creed in the next national campaign. The conference being an unofficial one can not formulate a platform or declaration of principles, but its deliberations and conclusions will doubtless have great weight and will have much to do with shaping the future course of the party.

There is first a large and powerful element in the party headed by Chairman Taubeneck himself, which favors the concentration of the party strength on a single plank—silver. It is argued that the Omaha platform was too scattering, that it advocated too many reforms at once to be effective, and that a more effective contest could be waged on a single issue. The advocates of a solitary silver plank argue that it would bring all the Western, Mountain and Pacific States under the Populist banner, and also capture many of the Southern States. This idea will be advocated by the Western delegates and many of those from the South.

There is another element which, while as strongly in favor of free silver as the former faction, is inclined to urge other measures of relief as well.

This element desires the adoption of a national platform containing four essential planks—money, land, transportation and taxation. The first plank embodies the free silver declaration and also demands the creation of a greenback currency as well. The demands as to land and transportation are those at present made by existing platforms, while the income tax will be defended and the single taxers find room for their favorite theory.

The socialistic group will form the third element. It will in fact be a Chicago product, and will be backed by the flower of Chicago socialism. This element has but one demand, and that it will insist upon. That is plank 10. In other words, if the Populist party expects the aid and comfort of the socialists, it must declare that all means of production and distribution of commodities must belong to the people. The champions of plank 10 will be willing to support free silver or will accept the views of the second element provided plank 10 is also recognized.

It will thus be seen that the socialistic group stands in a position to aid either of the other factions in consideration of the recognition of its own beloved principle.

The outcome is one which will be awaited with interest. If plank 10 is repudiated it is hinted that the socialists will, in all probability, sever their connection with the party.

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[illegible] or ensuite [illegible] [illegible] modern [illegible].

[illegible] room [illegible].

[illegible] parties [illegible] the lowest [illegible].

TO [illegible] pleasant [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible] furniture [illegible] housekeeping [illegible] Seventh street [illegible] Address [illegible].

THREE FURNISHED ROOMS [illegible] [illegible] with home comfort [illegible] references exchanged. Address [illegible] this office.

THREE NICE FURNISHED ROOMS WITH bath and hot and cold water [illegible] for housekeeping [illegible] month [illegible] East [illegible] Sixth street [illegible] third avenue [illegible].

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

A [illegible] HOME [illegible] PERSONS [illegible] good references [illegible] excellent table, large garden, sunny rooms [illegible] near business center [illegible] reasonable. [illegible] East Twelfth st. [illegible] corner Third avenue.

TO [illegible] WITH BOARD—FURNISHED sunny rooms, good home table, reasonable [illegible] references [illegible] [illegible] street southwest corner of Castro.

ROOMS WITH BOARD FOR GENTLEMEN and wife at 910 [illegible] street.

WANTED—ROOMS.

A PROFESSOR [illegible] FROM SAN Francisco wants a room [illegible] [illegible] week [illegible] Address M[illegible] box [illegible] this office.

HOUSES TO RENT.

[illegible] CLUB NO [illegible] OF THE [illegible] is now being organized. A chance to get a lot for $1 [illegible] or [illegible] [illegible] Send for circulars giving full particulars [illegible] [illegible] Office, Oakland.

FLATS TO RENT.

FOR RENT [illegible] rooms each, for housekeeping in the [illegible] block, corner Nineteenth street and San [illegible] avenue. Apply at [illegible].

[illegible] DWELLING NO. [illegible] Webster street of three pleasant rooms and bath; some furniture can be rented [illegible] also a first class windmill for sale. [illegible] quire within.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED [illegible] to rent [illegible] will take [illegible] [illegible] Eleventh street Oakland.

ATTORNEYS.

A. [illegible] SOUTHEAST CORNER of Ninth and Broadway.

DODGE & [illegible] ATTORNEYS AT LAW, [illegible] Broadway, rooms 21 and 22 Blake & Moffitt building.

[illegible] ATTORNEYS AT LAW [illegible] Pacific Mutual Building, entrance [illegible], room 6 fourth floor, San Francisco.

[illegible] ATTORNEY AT LAW, room [illegible] Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, [illegible] BROADWAY, northwest corner of Ninth, Oakland, Cal., room [illegible] telephone [illegible].

HUGH [illegible] ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office [illegible] Broadway, Oakland.

LANGAN & LANGAN, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, rooms [illegible] and 24 Blake & Moffitt Building, [illegible] Broadway, offices also at Haywards and Livermore.

M. [illegible] ATTORNEY AT LAW. [illegible] Broadway, Oakland, Cal., room [illegible].

R. [illegible] ATTORNEY AT LAW, [illegible] Broadway, rooms [illegible] and [illegible], Oakland, Cal.

SAMUEL [illegible] ATTORNEY [illegible] Oakland, Cal.

W[illegible] ATTORNEY AND Counselor at Law, [illegible] Broadway.

PHYSICIANS DIRECTORY.

DRS. [illegible] and skin diseases [illegible] Office [illegible] Washington st.

DR. CROWLEY, [illegible] Central Block [illegible] Broadway [illegible].

H. [illegible], M. D., PHYSICIAN AND surgeon. Office and residence [illegible] Broadway [illegible] Office hours [illegible] and [illegible].

DR. [illegible] surgeon. Office hours [illegible] Office telephone [illegible] Broadway, corner [illegible] residence [illegible].

EDWIN J. BOYES, M. D., [illegible] Clay streets [illegible].

OCULISTS AND AURISTS.

DR. [illegible] PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, from Leyden University, Holland [illegible] Central Bank Building [illegible] Residence [illegible].

H. [illegible] Office Central Bank Bldg.

S[illegible] [illegible] Oakland [illegible].

DENTISTS.

J. [illegible] BROADWAY, rooms [illegible] and 29. Office hours [illegible].

DR. [illegible] telephone [illegible] residence telephone [illegible], office corner Fourteenth and Clay streets.

SEARCHERS OF RECORDS.

DUPAY SMITH, SEARCHER OF RECORDS and Conveyancer Alameda county. Office 469 Ninth street, between Broadway and Washington, Oakland.

STOCK & HOLLAND—SEARCHERS OF RECORDS. Alameda County. [illegible] Broadway, Telephone [illegible].

CIVIL ENGINEERS.

T. W. MORGAN AND ROSS MORGAN, Civil Engineers, room 37 Macdonough Block, Oakland. Room 100, Crocker Building, San Francisco.

WANTED—SITUATIONS. FEMALE

A YOUNG GIRL WISHES A SITUATION to do second work, willing and obliging; four years in the last place. Please call at 514 Twenty-eighth street.

A YOUNG GIRL WISHES A SITUATION to do cooking in a private family, is a first-class cook, three years in her last place. Please call at 674 Thirty-sixth street.

A MIDDLE AGED LADY WANTS TO TAKE care of a child and do sewing or [illegible] upstairs work. Address M. J., box [illegible], this office.

A SECOND GIRL (SWEDISH) GOOD SEAMstress, first class cook, housekeepers and girls for general housework, etc. Ladies are always suited because the most reliable and competent girls, German, Swedish, American and of other nationalities apply at the SCANDINAVIAN AND GERMAN EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, [illegible] Broadway, cor. Ninth st.

A RESPECTABLE YOUNG GIRL WOULD like a situation in a private family, can do sewing and assist with work or take care of one child. Call at 901 Thirty ninth street, between Telegraph avenue and [illegible] street.

SITUATION WANTED BY AN [illegible] woman to do upstairs [illegible] care for an invalid or will do light housework. Address [illegible] street.

WANTED—SITUATIONS FIRST CLASS German, Swedish or Irish cooks; best references [illegible] work $15 to $20 [illegible] second and third [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Mrs. [illegible].

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A NEAT Swedish girl to do second work or general housework, wages $20. Please address Miss [illegible] this office.

[illegible] LOS [illegible] is now being organized. A chance to get a lot for $1 $5 $[illegible] or some such small amount. Send for circulars giving full particulars. Address [illegible] Office, Oakland.

WANTED—SITUATIONS, MALE

A [illegible] MAN WISHES A SITUATION [illegible] box [illegible] this office.

WANTED BY AN EXPERIENCED [illegible] [illegible] Address [illegible] box [illegible].

A [illegible] COACHMAN AND GARDENER with [illegible] experienced coachman and gardener with [illegible] desires situation [illegible] private family [illegible] reliable servants [illegible] Employment Bureau, [illegible] [illegible] street.

SITUATION WANTED BY A [illegible] [illegible] Please address [illegible] office.

WANTED—HELP, MALE.

$75 [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] experience necessary [illegible] permanent position. Address [illegible] & CO., [illegible] Ohio.

WANTED AGENTS.

WANTED—INTELLIGENT LADIES AND gentlemen to sell [illegible] new book [illegible] [illegible] to make money [illegible] books delivered to you free [illegible] liberal terms. Address [illegible] Publishing Co., Hartford, Ct.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAUS.

THIS IS THE SEASON FOR EMBROIDERY. Pleating, Pinking and Stamping; the only place in the city, MRS. CAHILL's Stationery Store and Employment Office, 1[illegible] Broadway.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—A DIAMOND PIN. OWNER CAN have the same by calling at [illegible] Broadway [illegible] and proving property.

FOUND—A GOLD WATCH. OWNER CAN have same by calling at 503 Isabella street and proving property.

LOST—IN MACDONOUGH THEATRE [illegible] [illegible] Fifteenth street [illegible] [illegible] handle of pearl [illegible]. Please return to box office of the Macdonough Theatre and receive reward.

LOST—THURSDAY [illegible] CONTAINING [illegible] between Eleventh and Fourteenth [illegible] [illegible] Tenth avenue, East Oakland and receive liberal reward.

LOST—[illegible] Finder [illegible] return [illegible] liberal reward.

LOST—A SMALL ENGLISH PUG, answers to the name of [illegible]. Finder return [illegible] street and receive reward.

LAUNDRIES.

OAKLAND FRENCH LAUNDRY [illegible] & Co., [illegible] Twenty [illegible] street, same rates as San Francisco and Contra Costa laundries. [illegible] curtains done in first class style [illegible].

HORSE SHOERS.

S. [illegible] practical horseshoer, successor to [illegible] [illegible] between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, Oakland. Telephone [illegible].

T. B. [illegible] PRACTICAL HORSESHOER. First class work guaranteed; special attention [illegible] [illegible] and interfering horses [illegible] shop 560 Tenth street. Horses shod for $1.00.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

MISS KATIE [illegible] NOTARY PUBLIC, [illegible] Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

P. [illegible] BROWN, NOTARY PUBLIC, [illegible] Ninth street between Broadway and Washington. [illegible] in attendance.

WILLIAM [illegible] NOTARY PUBLIC. Office [illegible] Eighth street.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS TO SUIT [illegible] [illegible] real estate [illegible] D. J. MCDONALD [illegible].

SAN FRANCISCO [illegible] LOAN [illegible] money [illegible] low interest.

RESTAURANTS.

THE [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] prices [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] delicacies prepared [illegible].

MEDICAL.

A [illegible] EUROPEAN [illegible] CURE [illegible] guaranteed [illegible] [illegible] treated [illegible] [illegible] DR. [illegible] next to the [illegible] Bank Building, San Francisco [illegible].

DRS. [illegible] & [illegible] OFFICE and residence [illegible] Washington street, corner [illegible] Market street, San Francisco. Office hours [illegible] a. m. to [illegible] p. m. and 7 to [illegible] [illegible] attention paid to diseases of women and children.

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JOHN W. [illegible] ROOM [illegible] MACDONOUGH [illegible] surveys of city lots and tracts and subdivisions of land [illegible] sewer and street improvement and general surveying and engineering work. [illegible] surveys, maps, plans and estimates.

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RARE CHANCE—HAVE YOU $[illegible] TO invest in a strictly legitimate business enterprise. Will pay $[illegible] per week. Address B, care of TRIBUNE office.

FANCY ROCKERS ALL PRICES AND grades, lady's chairs and fancy goods for presents. Come and see us. H. SCHELLHAAS, 408 Eleventh street.

FOR SALE CHEAP—ESTABLISHED FRUIT Produce and Poultry business, best location in California, an excellent opportunity for the right man; will not deal with agents. Address A. [illegible] this office.

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E. A. HAGEN, ROOM [illegible] MACDONOUGH block. Plans, specifications and estimates for architectural work and engineering structures and bridges, and for mechanical work of all kinds.

CITY REAL ESTATE. IMPROVED.

A SWEET LITTLE HOME OF FIVE ROOMS on East Seventeenth street near electric cars, only $1600, easy terms. Address O. G., [illegible] this office.

TEN LOTS FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN IN the Rose Tract near Elmhurst, 25x125, $[illegible] each. Apply to W. C. TAYLOR, 4[illegible] Eighth st.

FOR SALE—A SIX ROOM COTTAGE WITH lot 4[illegible]x100 feet in Watson's Golden Gate tract, within six minutes walk of station and not far from San Pablo avenue cable car line; price $1800, only $200 cash down, balance in monthly payments. This is a decided bargain. Apply to ALBERT SCHMIDT, 6[illegible] East Twelfth street, East Oakland.

LOT CLUB NO [illegible] OF THE LOS [illegible] TRACT is now being organized. A chance to get a lot for $1 $5 $[illegible] or some such small amount. Send for circulars giving full particulars. Address [illegible] Office, Oakland.

CITY REAL ESTATE. UNIMPROVED

THE LOTS FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN IN the Rose Tract near Elmhurst [illegible] $[illegible] each. Apply to W. C. TAYLOR, 4[illegible] Eighth st.

$300 AND UPWARD—JONES TRACT Lots—40x1[illegible] and 60x1[illegible], $[illegible] to $[illegible] down and $10 per month. Interest on unpaid installments only. If you desire really [illegible] location for a cosy suburban home see the Jones Tract. Churches, schools, retail stores and every convenience at hand. The Jones Tract is conceded by all to be the best piece of property on the line of the Haywards electric railway. Has the finest class of buildings, cement walks in every street, highest elevation, finest soil, and is in every respect superior to the surrounding property. Our prices and terms are the most reasonable. It will pay all intending purchasers to investigate before buying. MACDONALD, MUIR & CO., 1[illegible] Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

[illegible]

A BARGAIN.

Sixty acres of level land on San [illegible] [illegible] offered at such a low figure as to [illegible] [illegible] adjoining property [illegible] subdivided and sold [illegible] at $[illegible] to $[illegible] per acre. Oakland, San [illegible] and Haywards Electric railroad [illegible] [illegible] the property [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. Easy terms [illegible] for map. [illegible] 460 and 46[illegible] Eighth street, Oakland.

LOT [illegible] TRACT is now being organized. A chance to get a lot for $1 $5 [illegible] or some such small amount. Send for circulars giving full particulars. Address [illegible] Office, Oakland.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE

10 LOTS [illegible] Rose Tract near [illegible] $[illegible] each [illegible] W. C. TAYLOR, 41 Eighth st.

FOR SALE—100 ACRES FOUR MILES from Santa Rosa, Cal., in Rincon valley; [illegible] acres [illegible] orchard [illegible] [illegible] vineyard [illegible] and house of [illegible] rooms [illegible] [illegible] barn [illegible] house, 4 horses, [illegible] cows, wagons, carts, mowing machine, hay rake, etc. [illegible] $[illegible] or will be subdivided in 40 acre tracts. Address O. [illegible], Santa Rosa, Cal.

LOT CLUB [illegible] TRACT is now being organized. A chance to get a lot for $1 $5 $[illegible] or some such small amount. Send for circulars giving full particulars. Address [illegible] Office, Oakland.

FOR EXCHANGE.

TO EXCHANGE [illegible] [illegible] wagon and [illegible] Address [illegible] this office.

FOR EXCHANGE—SINGLE DRIVING [illegible] and [illegible] exchange for good top buggy. Call at [illegible].

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—A [illegible] OIL PAINTING OF [illegible] Swiss [illegible] Switzerland, for $[illegible] Eighteenth street corner of Grove.

A GENTLE HORSE SUITABLE FOR BUSINESS or for a lady to drive and harness [illegible] [illegible] the owner having no use for the same will let a responsible party use him for the keeping. Address D. DAVENPORT, box [illegible] this office.

BARGAINS IN FANCY [illegible] [illegible] just received, two more carloads; just received. Central Bank Building, Fourteenth and Broadway.

CARPETS CLEANED AND LAID BY THE SCHREIBER FURNITURE CO. 11[illegible] and 11[illegible] Washington street.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—[illegible] house of sixteen [illegible] furnished rooms, one block from local train and on line of Haywards [illegible] good location; rent only $40 per month. [illegible] Seventh avenue, East Oakland.

FOR SALE—BEDSTEADS WITH OR WITHout mattresses, pillows, bolsters and top beds cheap [illegible] H. SCHELLHAAS, [illegible] Eleventh street, Oakland.

FOR SALE—TWO [illegible] [illegible] cheap [illegible].

[illegible] PIANO [illegible] one at $[illegible] this week only. Open evenings. [illegible] GIRARD, Central Bank Building, Fourteenth and Broadway.

FOR SALE—A SCHOLARSHIP IN one of the principal Business Colleges on the Pacific Coast [illegible] below the regular rates. Address [illegible] TRIBUNE Office.

FOR SALE—[illegible] in first class order, good terms for cash. Inquire [illegible] Oakland.

LESS THAN $[illegible] ELEGANT [illegible] upright piano, used only three months [illegible] Tenth street, West Oakland.

LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FANCY SHADES, [illegible] chimneys [illegible] and [illegible] stoves at H. SCHELLHAAS, [illegible] 408 Eleventh street. We are bound to sell.

[illegible] [illegible] large bonding trade, very low rent [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] owner [illegible] Address [illegible] this office.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND [illegible] [illegible] street, San Francisco.

PICTURES [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] for the next [illegible] days, repairing and tuning of all kinds of musical instruments.

PAPIOR [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] H. SCHELLHAAS, Eleventh street.

THE [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] for sale [illegible] Eleventh [illegible].

W[illegible] [illegible] and desk cheap [illegible].

HOTELS.

HOTEL METRO [illegible] the leading hotel [illegible] Oakland [illegible] Jefferson [illegible] proprietor.

GRAND [illegible] [illegible] suites [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] electric [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] prop'r.

NEW [illegible] [illegible] hotel [illegible] rooms are all sunny [illegible] [illegible] room on European plan; the tables [illegible] supplied with the best in the market, prepared by professional cooks [illegible] to San Francisco [illegible] front of the house [illegible] before settling for the winter. [illegible] proprietor.

THE [illegible] ELEVENTH AND FRANKLIN streets has changed hands and is under the able management of an experienced hotel man [illegible] sunny, one block from [illegible] depot, table first class, terms reasonable.

EUREKA HOTEL, JOHN WINTER, PROprietor, southwest corner [illegible] and Washington streets. Brand new furniture and best of tables [illegible] special rates by the month.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

DO YOU KNOW W. H. JACKSON OF THE Virginia City Saloon, corner of Eighth and Alice streets [illegible] standard brands of fine liquors such as O. P. S. [illegible] and Martell Brandy and fresh beer on tap.

EINTRACHT SALOON, [illegible] WEBSTER st., bet. [illegible] and [illegible] Oakland. Paul Sobate, proprietor. The best lunch from 12 to 1. Hall on second floor for rent at reasonable rates to societies, weddings, parties, etc.

HUGO FUGE'S GRAND ARMY HALL Saloon, Thirteenth street, between Franklin and Broadway, is the place to get a glass of Schlitz Milwaukee beer. Tables for lunches. Best of wines, liquors and cigars.

SCHLITZ MILWAUKEE BEER DEPOT. C. H. KOCKS, proprietor, 468 Twelfth street, Oakland. Private entrance for ladies.

MEDIUMS.

ASTRAL SEER—PROF HOLMES, [illegible] GEARY st., S. F., horoscopes, questions, stocks advice.

REAL ESTATE.

$6000—NEW RESIDENCE OF NINE rooms and bath, large barn, all in order, built last year, lot [illegible]x1[illegible]. Location is excellent for view of Lake Merritt, bay, valley, and hills and the city; two blocks of Senator Perkins; one of cable line; owner recently located in New York City, has authorized us to sell the foregoing; price made only for immediate investigation to a property. It was constructed for a home. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland.

$4250—AN ELEGANT COTTAGE OF NINE rooms, [illegible] finish, curly red wood, seven minutes walk of City Hall; terms $500 cash, balance easy. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 46[illegible] Eighth street, Oakland.

$3900—MUST SELL; TWO STORY RESidence of [illegible] rooms, [illegible] near Fourteenth street, [illegible] M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 46[illegible] Eighth street, Oakland.

$50 [illegible] ELEGANT RESIDENCE lot on south side of Twenty third street. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth st.

$1500—FIVE ROOM COTTAGE, [illegible] street [illegible] M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., [illegible] Eighth street.

$5000—[illegible] MORTGAGE $[illegible]; MUST sell; make offer; elegant cottage, eight rooms [illegible] 40x100 [illegible] location; two blocks [illegible] station. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland.

$5000 [illegible] NEW MODERN cottage of [illegible] rooms, [illegible]x100 [illegible] property and assume mortgage. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland.

$5250—[illegible] [illegible] rooms [illegible] [illegible] trade for [illegible] residence. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO. [illegible].

$1400—ELEGANT LOT [illegible] avenue, East Oakland, bargain. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO. [illegible].

$4000—SEVENTH STREET, EAST OF Market [illegible] rented; trade unimproved [illegible] M. J. LAYMANCE & CO. [illegible].

$2500—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] $1000 [illegible] M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., [illegible].

$5500 [illegible] RESIDENCE [illegible] [illegible] lot [illegible] [illegible].

$10,000—[illegible] IMPROVED BUSIness [illegible] corner [illegible] east [illegible] [illegible] exchange [illegible] country [illegible] M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland.

$500—[illegible] LOT [illegible] ADJOINing [illegible] from cable. LAYMANCE & CO., [illegible] Eighth st.

$2750 [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Oakland [illegible] M. J. LAYMANCE & CO. [illegible].

$3000 [illegible] OF FIVE rooms and bath [illegible] and [illegible] assume large mortgage. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO. [illegible] Eighth street, Oakland.

$175 EACH [illegible] LOTS AGRICULTURAL [illegible] Fruitvale, [illegible]. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., [illegible] Eighth street. [illegible]

$1500—[illegible] $[illegible], property [illegible] [illegible] station. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland.

$4500 [illegible] COTTAGE [illegible] East Oakland, five rooms and bath [illegible] City Hall [illegible] [illegible] elegant Xmas present. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. [illegible]

EXCHANGE [illegible] CITY PROPERTY.

$6500 [illegible] CREEK, HIGHLY IMproved ranch of [illegible] acres, fine house and outbuildings; trade and assume mortgage. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland.

$6000—RANCH [illegible] [illegible] beautiful place [illegible] every respect; fine personal property, lovely place; see photograph; will trade Oakland residence and assume mortgage. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland.

$6500—EIGHT ACRES, OAK CITY, [illegible] miles of San Jose, highly improved place; trade for central Oakland residence and assume mortgage. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland.

$15,000 [illegible] ACRES CALISTOGA NAPA county; one half well improved, will trade and assume mortgage; owner business man; cannot give it attention. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., [illegible] Eighth street.

1800 ACRES STOCK AND CATTLE ranch, Mendocino county; exchange for Oakland property. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., [illegible] Eighth street, Oakland.

$25,000—ONE OF THE FINEST [illegible] orchards in Alameda county, near Haywards, 50 acres, exchange for [illegible] city property. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland.

CALL [illegible] [illegible] information that you want as regards any kind of properties. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland.

For Exchange

Handsome flats, large sunny rooms, large lot, all modern, for clear ranch.

Good five room cottage, Twenty fourth st., near Market, for ranch.

TEN ACRES [illegible] in [illegible] county, planted to trees and vines, $[illegible]—for cottage in Oakland [illegible].

[illegible] house [illegible] corner [illegible] [illegible] for [illegible] such or vacant lot.

[illegible] cottage, five rooms, [illegible] side of [illegible] [illegible] $[illegible] [illegible] $1100 for ranch [illegible].

Modern house, ten rooms, near High School, [illegible] $[illegible] for clear ranch or suburban property.

A fine ranch [illegible] acres in Lake County [illegible] for Oakland property.

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

If you don't see what you want ask for it, we have it in stock. [illegible] THOMAS, [illegible] Ninth street.

PERSONALS.

D. [illegible] HAND AND FURNITURE [illegible] moved to the [illegible] corner Fifteenth and Washington [illegible] furniture moved with [illegible] [illegible] orders with [illegible] Furniture Co. Residence 1602 Myrtle street.

HEATING STOVES, COOKING [illegible] ranges, lamps, stoves, gas heaters all at low [illegible] for other goods. H. SCHELLHAAS, 408 Eleventh street.

WEST [illegible] COMPANY [illegible] [illegible] windows [illegible] work promptly attended [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] telephone [illegible] bells.

IF YOU WANT SOMETHING THAT WILL [illegible] [illegible] handsome [illegible] [illegible] call at 1[illegible] Telegraph av.

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] fresh and frozen oyster cloths [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] orders [illegible] delivered [illegible] [illegible].

OAKLAND [illegible] BAGGAGE [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible] Berkeley, all orders of the [illegible] in general [illegible] proprietor, [illegible] st.

PUPILS [illegible] W. W. CHAPMAN TEACHES [illegible] [illegible] and fancy dances [illegible] [illegible] and Saturday evenings [illegible] corner Twelfth and Harrison streets.

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WEDNESDAY.....DECEMBER 26, 1894

IN the ashes of the Cliff House, which was destroyed by fire last night, could speak, what a story they could unfold of all the human virtues and vices—particularly the latter!

THE morphine habit is just now claiming another victim, as it is closing the career of one of Great Britain's erstwhile brightest public men, who, for a time, promised to become the power behind the throne. Lord Randolph Churchill is dying!

HAS any one taken the pains to determine the relationship between the frequent attacks made of late on citizens by footpads and the presence in our midst of an organized gang of ex-convicts and tramps who are living on the bread of idleness and robbing the worthy poor of the bread of charity?

THE Christmas edition of the *Examiner* was a novelty in newspaper-making. It was, in the first place, a charity edition, designed for the benefit of the hospital ward for juvenile incurables. In this respect, it must have been a very substantial success, yielding a handsome revenue. In the second place, the edition was the product of a number of the best-known society women of San Francisco, who were responsible for the work of every department. The editorial, local news, telegraph and art staffs were all San Francisco women, and their work is one of high order in a literary and artistic sense. None of the departments in the paper showed any serious signs of amateurishness. Much of what was printed in it would have been a credit to veteran newspaper workers and the illustrations will put some of the newspaper artists of the metropolis on their mettle. The ladies are to be congratulated on their remarkable success and the *Examiner* is deserving of praise for having given them an opportunity of showing what they are capable of doing and for aiding, in this way, a worthy charity.

Annexation of Temescal.

The people of Temescal and the outlying territory sandwiched between Oakland and Berkeley are earnest in their desire to become annexed to this city. The prime movers in the matter are the small property-owners—the men who have made the district their homes, and who are undoubtedly paying the larger portion of the taxes in the district. These persons have made a house-to-house canvass, and represent that an overwhelming majority of the people residing in the territory asking to be annexed are in favor of the proposition.

The territory to be annexed embraces everything between the two cities lying west of the following line, excepting the sanitary district of Golden Gate:

Beginning at a point in the present northern boundary of the city of Oakland, at its intersection with a line parallel to and one hundred feet distant easterly from the easterly line of Broadway. Thence northerly along a line parallel to and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway to its intersection with the extension southerly of the division line between plots 72 and 73, as per Kellersberger's map of Vincente and Domingo Peralta's rancho, in Alameda county, State of California; thence northerly along said extension southerly of the division line between said plots 72 and 73, and the division line between said plots and plots 74 and 76 to the present southeasterly corner of the city of Berkeley.

The sanitary district of Golden Gate is excluded because it has just entered into a $40,000 bonded obligation for the construction of an effective sewer system.

At present the promoters of the annexation proposition are circulating a petition in this city for signature requesting the City Council to call an annexation election. It will be necessary for them to secure 3000 signatures to make a legal petition. The aim and ambition of Oakland has been for many years to absorb all of the territory lying north of it to the county line. There are many citizens here who hope to see the incorporation of all the suburbs of Oakland under one municipal government. It rests with the people themselves to determine when the time is ripe for such a movement. This work of the consolidation of the city with the suburban settlements clustering around it has seemingly to be done by degrees. Temescal is openly in the field now seeking political union so as to get the benefit of our drainage system, police and fire service and other municipal facilities. Temescal, Peralta and Emeryville, which are embraced in the territory proposed to be annexed, have good public school buildings already. Rumblings of annexation have also been heard at frequent intervals of late from Piedmont, which has no outlet for its drainage except through the sewer system of this city, but the movement in that district has not yet taken definite shape. It is only a question of time when all these outlying settlements will not only have to seek admission to the municipality, but the municipality will of necessity be forced in self-defense to absorb them. The geographical situation makes their community interests and relations inseparable.

Rounding Off a Century.

The other day THE TRIBUNE recorded the semi-centennial anniversary of the Milwaukee *Sentinel* as a daily newspaper, and today it has the pleasure of noting the survival of the Rutland, Vt., *Herald* as a weekly newspaper for a full century. The one hundredth anniversary of the *Herald* occurred December 8th. It has celebrated the event by the issuance of a centennial edition covering its own history and the chief points in the career of the men who have carried it through good and evil report and the vicissitudes of fortune from its humble beginning to date.

The history of a paper founded one hundred years ago, is in a very large measure, the history of the nation. Newspapers having such a history are rare. There are not a dozen in existence in the country today. When such a newspaper was founded George Washington was half way through his second term as President. The young nation had demonstrated its capacity for self-government and its right to a place among the family of civilized nations. But it had not emerged from the experimental stage. It remained for it to show its ability to survive the crisis which should result in the installation of a successor to George Washington. The entire population of the nation numbered only about one million. Thirty years later the total vote for President amounted to only 352,062, indicating a population of only 1,500,000.

A newspaper with a record of nearly one hundred years to its credit possesses a rare heritage. What a rich field for retrospection! Such a paper has recorded the election of every President, except Washington, which these United States have inaugurated. It has recorded the retirement of every President the nation has had, including Washington. It has noted the growth and development of the nation from a population of less than one million to a population of over sixty millions, and from the narrow strip of territory embraced in the original thirteen States to a domain extending from ocean to ocean and from the Gulf of Mexico to the Great Lakes.

When the *Herald* was founded in Rutland, Vt., that place was a backwoods village in the heart of the wilderness. It had no communication with civilization excepting such as the rough roads of the period cut through the virgin forests and the rare transit of individuals from one settlement to another afforded. No system of mail service had been devised. A letter written at Rutland in the dead of winter had to wait until the month of August before it could be sent to Cambridge, Mass. It was nearly half a century before railroading began and the telegraph was invented. The vast stretch of country lying west of the State of Vermont was largly a terra incognito, the habitat and hunting grounds of unfriendly Indian tribes.

The little backwoods village in which the Rutland *Herald* was founded a hundred years ago is now a populous city. The *Herald* of today counts its subscribers by the thousands where it counted them a hundred years ago by the tens. It no longer invites its subscribers to pay for the paper in maple sugar, as its founder was forced to do in its pioneer days. It is a rather singular coincidence that the founders of the *Herald* were two Samuel Williamses, one an ex-professor of Harvard College and a Congregational minister, the other a jurist of considerable note in that section and an elder of the church over which the former officiated as pastor, but there existed no blood relationship between them.

For thirty-three years the *Herald* has been issued as a daily. It now bears the evidence of thrift and prosperity. Its survival and success proves that its founders builded better than they ever dreamed of.

The World's Merchant Marine.

M. G. Mulhall, the well known English statistician, has an article in the *Contemporary Review* for the current month, treating of the mercantile marine of the world. Great Britain leads the world in the number of ships engaged in commerce and in the volume of their carrying capacity. The carrying power of British ships in 1894, so Mr. Mulhall tells us, amounted to 27,720,000 tons, while that of all other nations engaged in commerce have a combined carrying power of only 21,120,000 tons. Great Britain thus possesses 56 per cent of the carrying power of the mercantile marine of the world. The United States has herculean work before it to restore its lost commerce on the seas. As a matter of fact, according to Mr. Mulhall's way of figuring, the carrying power of the merchant marine of the United States has actually shrunk eighty thousand tons during the decade ending with 1892.

In the list of maritime nations, the United States figures as a sixth rater, notwithstanding its incomparable seaboard fronting on two great oceans and its enviable position, situated midway between the rich countries of the Orient and the continent of Europe. The little kingdom of Scandinavia—the Norseland of old—still claims a place as a bold voyager of the deep. The carrying power of the northern European peninsula is next on the list to that of Great Britain; but it amounts to only 4,240,000 tons. Germany comes third, with 3,870,000 tons; France next in order, with 2,410,000; then follows Spain, which was before the destruction of the Armada in good Queen Bess's time mistress of the seas, with 2,020,000 tons. The United States comes next in the order, but so closely followed by the little kingdom of Italy that it has nothing to brag of. The carrying power of the former is placed at 1,680,000 tons, and of the latter, 1,410,000 tons.

In 1840 the nominal tonnage of Great Britain's merchant fleet was 3,310,000 tons. This had increased to 10,230,000 tons in 1892. The carrying power of the ships containing this nominal tonnage is obtained by multiplying the nominal tonnage by the number of trips these vessels make annually in the trade in which they are engaged. All other nations had in 1840 a nominal tonnage of 6,070,000, and in 1892, 12,607,000. Looking at the subject from the standpoint of nominal tonnage of her fleet, Great Britain, it will be observed, possesses only a little over 40 per cent of the actual nominal tonnage of the world's merchant marine, but she has secured enough of the world's commerce to increase the carrying power of that fleet so that it exceeds the carrying power of the nominal tonnage of all other nations 16 per cent.

RICHARD CROKER, the ex-Sachem of Tammany, has played a big bluff on the silver-tongued Tammany orator, Bourke Cochran, by challenging him to tell all he knows to the Executive Committee of Tammany or on the witness stand of the Lexow Commission regarding his (Croker's) administration of Tammany's affairs. If Cochran has the courage he will accept the challenge and a tale unfold much more interesting and far-reaching in its effect than anything that the commission has yet listened to.

ONE of the statisticians of the Agricultural Department has discovered that the people of this country eat too much. A far more useful and beneficial discovery would be that of a method for filling the hungry stomachs of those who are unable to earn a sufficiency because of lack of employment.

Views of a Pessimist.

The day will come
When women will care naught for dress
When spinsters will their age confess,
To its full sum:
When Kaintuck's colonels, brave and true,
Their illegitimate mountain dew
Will cease to drink:
When Ingersoll will turn devout;
And such a day will come about,
I do not think.

The day will come
When Congressmen won't chin all day,
But really work to earn thier pay,
Too large a sum:
When simpson with the unclothed feet,
Down in the Presidential seat
Will softly sink:
When farmers won't blow out the gas:
And such a day will come to pass,
I do not think.

The day will come
When lovely maids won't care to read
The books of Zola and his creed,
And won't chew gum:
When graduates will not repent
The "standing with reluctant feet"
On life's broad brink:
When green goods men no prey can find
Will such a day the years unwind?
I do not think.

The day will come
When football men will cease to wo.
Their hair as does the gifted player,
Planes to thrum:
When pugilists will not delight
To bluster, and from offered fight
Will scorn to shrink:
When politicians straight will be,
And such a day we yet will see,
I do not think.

—*Charles J. Colton in New York Sun.*

MIRTHFUL MORSELS.

THE LONG AND SHORT OF IT.

"Father," said the boy, "what is insolvent?"

"Insolvent," was the reply, "is merely a long word used to describe a short condition."—*Washington Star.*

WHAT COULD HE SAY?

The young man clutched his elder by friend in a frantic grasp.

"What ought a fellier to say," he asked, "when a young woman asks him if he thinks she is as old as she looks?"—*Indianapolis Journal.*

COULDN'T MISS IT.

Teacher—In which of his battles was General Custer killed?

Numbskull (after reflection)—I believe it was his last.—*The Waterbury.*

A DISTINCTION AND A DIFFERENCE.

"Are you used to serving roast beef rare?" said the lady who was endeavoring to learn whether she suited the new cook.

"No, ma'am," was the loftily spoken reply. "Up to the date of me prisint employment O've been used to serving it frequent."—*Washington Star.*

THE MISTAKEN POET.

He—Here is a very pretty bit of poetry. Shall I read it to you?

She—What is the title?

He—"The Empty Sleeve."

She—Oh, that poet was mistaken. The sleeve may have been comparatively empty, but the girl's arm was in it somewhere.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

ATMOSPHERE AGAIN.

I did hope for an artistic career," said the disappointed looking man, but I met with difficulties I couldn't conquer. What I needed was atmosphere.

"I see. The same old trouble. What were you, an author or a painter?"

"Neither. I was learning to play the trombone, but I was naturally short of breath.—*Washington Star.*

FORTUNATE POSSESSION.

"Speaking of miraculous escapes," said Smith, "young Brown was shot full in the chest the other day and still was unharmed."

"Mother's Bible in his pocket?" said Robinson.

"Pack of cards, more likely," remarked Jones.

"You are not up to date," said Smith, the bullet struck him in the chrysanthemum."—*Life.*

AT THE BARGAIN COUNTER.

Kitty—Good gracious? How did Fannie ever come to take to such a man as that?

John—I understood she met him first at a drygoods emporium on bargain day.

Kitty—What difference does that make?

John—Oh, a woman will take anything then.—*Detroit Free Press.*

WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN.

Tub fashions never together come
To charm us with their rustle—
How strange a girl would look, by gosh!
In bloomers and a bustle.
—*New York Press.*

WAY UP.

Lottie—Before Ethel married that young literary man she told me one day that her union with him was going to raise her to a higher life.

Tottie—And did it?

Lottie—Yes; they are living in an attic now.—*Somerville Journal.*

NOTES FOR WOMEN.

In baking bread or rolls put a saucepan of boiling water into the oven. The steam will keep the crust smooth and tender.

Much of the heavy cake and bread is the result of the oven door being banged when closed. Close the door as gently as possible.

Cut doughnuts out an hour or more before they are fried and allow them time for rising. They will be much lighter than when fried as soon as they are cut. Try cutting them at night and frying them in the morning.

Housekeepers should remember when making biscuit and dumplings with baking powder that three tablespoonfuls of the baking powder will be required to make one quart of flour light. The manufacturers' directions often call for only two, and the result is unsatisfactory.

Some dressmakers recommend to their customers the wearing of gauze vests instead of Cambric underwaists. They say that the outside waist will set much more smoothly over this vest, which may be opened, if desired, in front and buttoned down its length. The trouble with those gauze underwaists which are sold in the shops is that they are far from tight fitting and are as apt to wrinkle around the waist as the cambric ones which they supersede.

To make French nougat, boil one pound of granulated sugar and one teacupful of water over a sharp fire until it begins to turn yellow, writes Nellie Willey in a practical paper on "Making Candy at Home" in the December *Ladies' Home Journal.* Do not stir while boiling. Have ready one-half pound of almonds bleached and dried. Put them in the oven and leave the door open; when they begin to look yellow add to the candy as it reaches the turning point described above, and quickly turn into a well-oiled tin or iron pan about one-half an inch thick; mark with a sharp knife into bars before it cools. By bending the tins between the hands slightly the candy will come out easily.

Unlovely lips come from an unhealthy stomach. Bad digestion will often assert itself in broken or chapped lips, sores in the corners of the mouth, fever blisters and a coated tongue. Chronic sore mouths should be rubbed with sweet oil or pure glycerine at night; in the morning wash with a solution of alum or borax—a teaspoonful in a tumbler of water. Camphor ice is both healing and cleansing. Good cold cream is not a bad salve. The receipt is simple enough, but it doesn't pay to prepare it; all the druggists have supplies and cheerfully dispense 5-cent quantities. Citron ointment is one of the old reliable salves kept by all chemists. It is applied to the sore with a soft linen cloth. When the mouth is sore the diet should be changed to vegetable foods.

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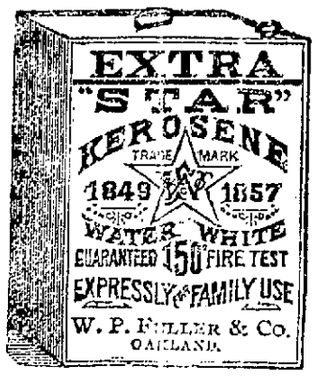

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The distribution began early in the morning and, notwithstanding that it was conducted as fast as possible and the employment of as many people as could work in the Bureau, the last delivery was not accomplished until late in the evening.

These final deliveries, however, were made to families residing in the more distant parts of the city and suburbs, and by far the greater number of needy ones had been served in time for their Christmas dinner.

The distribution of the goods took place from the Bureau, 482 Eighth street, and was witnessed throughout the day by a throng of interested people. Some of these onlookers were desirous of securing aid themselves. Some were among those who had already made application for relief, and others were people beyond the reach of want, who lent to the work of relieving the poor the encouragement of their presence.

In the work of distribution six men were engaged. The great piles of goods were apportioned among the applicants, each share being placed on a spot on the floor, tagged with the applicant's name, address and the district to which he belonged.

These individual piles were made up of coal, coke or wood, flour, meal of various kinds, sugar, tea, coffee, and clothing, in accordance with the reports furnished the Bureau by a corps of visitors, who conscientiously reported upon every case referred to them. These inspectors were selected with special reference to their knowledge of the city, their understanding of the needs of the poor, and their disposition to report impartially upon each and every case referred to them without respect to race, creed or any other extraneous consideration.

The statements of these visitors gave information on the following facts regarding the applicants, all of which were learned at the homes of those desiring assistance: Names, place of residence, single or married, length of residence in Oakland, occupation, reputation, how long out of employment, number and age of the children in the family, number of members of the family working, whether any were sick, what other sources of relief were enjoyed, kind of food, clothing and fuel needed and whether or not medical attendance was required.

These facts were accompanied by a recommendation that the request of the applicant be granted or denied. In every instance, the recommendation of the visitor was carried out by the management of the Bureau, who did not come in contact with the applicant.

The reports of these visitors, in hundreds of instances told most sorrowful tales. In some they showed duplicity and fraud of the most reprehensible character.

DIRE WANT DISCOVERED.

In many cases, the visitors could not find a crumb of bread or a piece of coal in the houses visited. Starvation actually stared the occupants in the face.

In other instances it was discovered that families had made applications under several different names and then sought to impose upon the Bureau by securing what was intended for others.

The reports of these visitors were divided into classes 1, 2 and 3. In the first class were placed those families who were starving. In the second were those who were not so badly off, while in the third were assigned those who, while in a poor condition, needed only special articles, or would not become destitute for a few days at least.

This segregation was done with the intention of affording aid, in so far as the Bureau's supply would permit, to the most needy first. The other classes were supplied in rotation, according as the supply allowed.

It was discovered there was enough goods to satisfy all the people in class No. 1, and then those in No. 2 were looked after, and still the supply was not exhausted. Then class No. 3 was reached, and even those in it were given some goods.

In order to make the donations go around, some of the original packages of potatoes, flour and other articles had to be divided into smaller quantities. This was done in order that the greatest good to the greatest number might be accomplished.

The apportionment was made in the absence of the visitors, who did not want to be accused of using their influence in any manner in the work. To these gentlemen THE TRIBUNE is grateful, because they did their work in a careful and conscientious manner. They are: Eugene Hough, E. J. White, Gene Thurman, E. Jones and A. P. Butler, all save the last mentioned being members of the Federal Labor Union.

The work of apportionment was a heavy one, but an equally onerous task was that of distributing the goods apportioned throughout the city. This was accomplished in the main by the liberality and kindly consideration of the People's Express, the Whitney Transfer Company, Grocer Schulz, THE TRIBUNE'S own vehicles, several private conveyances, besides hand trucks, wheelbarrows and handcarts of all descriptions.

DELIVERING THE GOODS.

The first load was sent out by the Whitney Transfer Company's wagon, which was manned by Patrick Haggerty and E. Sprinkle, who worked splendidly. Four times they returned to the Bureau and departed with the wagon loaded down with provisions and clothing of all kinds.

Soon after the Whitney wagon made its appearance up thundered to the Bureau the two largest vehicles of the People's Express Company. One of these was the great red-covered wagon which is so much admired on the streets. This immense vehicle was in charge of J. Herst.

Following the red wagon, came the great white furniture van also of the People's Express Company. This wagon was manned by John Broderick. This van is the largest of the kind in the State. It is decorated in white and gold, and at first sight suggests an immense circus van. It is used for transporting any kind of goods which require shelter.

Two better men could not have been selected by the company than Herst and Broderick. They had their hearts in the work and did it in a fine manner. The great vans were loaded down with goods, four times, and each time there could not have been less than four tons aboard. These goods were delivered in all parts of the city, and evoked kindly expressions of commendation of the Bureau as they were carted off to aid the poor.

Later in the afternoon it became necessary to impress a third wagon of the People's Company into service, which also rendered efficient aid. The use of the Whitney wagon and the three wagons of the People's were given free of charge, and at a time when teams and wagons were in demand. For this kindness THE TRIBUNE is sincerely grateful. It is especially thankful to President Edward J. Graham, president of the People's Express and Transfer Company, who not only instintedly placed his stock and wagons at the command of the Bureau, but displayed the keenest interest in the work by visiting the Bureau several times during the day and encouraging his men in the good work.

The relief distributed in this manner reached between 300 and 400 families, and it did a great deal of good.

THE TRIBUNE takes this means of thanking the donors and all those who have, in any manner, contributed to the success of the Bureau, and especially to Walter Burwell, whose assistance was most valuable and appreciated.

Thanks are also due to Paul Schlotzhaner for the free use of his store, 482 Eighth street, in which the Bureau was located, at a time when he could have rented it at a remunerative figure for the holiday trade.

SOME OF THE CHARITABLE.

Among the contributors to the Bureau from Saturday evening to yesterday evening were the following:

A lady, two hats and two skirts; no name, mush, beans, rice; a friend, tea and sugar; Log Cabin Bakery, forty pies; a lady, 597 Eighteenth street, three sacks of wood; two ladies, two jackets; Mr. Sheppard, 100 pounds of beans; Mrs. S. J. Taylor, Linda Vista, girls' clothing; Mrs. Zahn, books and toys; Fay Butler Jr., child's blackboard and a load of other toys; John Stromberg, books and toys; a young lady, a lot of toys; Egbert Stone, five bags of pumpkins and squashes; Mrs. J. B. Finnegan, 1357 Webster street, toys and clothing; Mrs. Gorrill, potatoes and apples; Taliesin Evans, books; a lady, ten pounds of dried fruit; a friend, box of potatoes and apples; little Elwin Ball, a box of crackers; P. Holmes, a year of *Youth's Companion*; I. Barnett & Co., 37 San Pablo avenue, box of pears, sack of potatoes, canned fruit and rabbits; a friend, 10 cents.

Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry, easy installment payments at cash prices; representative will call with samples. M. M. Heineman, room 26, Chronicle Building, San Francisco.

BITS OF GOSSIP.

J. T. Hogan, the English professional cricketer, has been engaged by the Maharajah of Patiala to teach the game to his son and other natives.

King Oscar of Sweden is a firm believer in the Darwinian theory of evolution.

The Czarina is grand mistress of the Ladies' Order of St. Catherine, founded by Peter the Great. The badge of the order is the first female decoration in Europe.

In paying for a piece of property in Southwest City, Mo., Mr. Rennels, the purchaser, handed over a $500 bill which he had carried for twenty years.

John Burns of Boston has driven a hack for forty years, and claims to have the record for long driving.

The new Czar ascends the throne at 26, but is by no means the youngest of rulers. That distinction belongs to King Alfonso XIII of Spain, who is only 8. The little Queen of the Netherlands is 14; King Alexander of Servia, 18; the Khedive, 20; and the Emperor of China, 23. The Sultan of Morocco is also a youth, but his exact age is a matter of speculation. Of older rulers than the new Czar there are King Carlos of Portugal, 31; Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria, 33; the Emperor of Germany, 35; the King of Greece, 39; the Emperor of Japan 42; the King of Italy, 50; the Sultan of Turkey, 50; King Charles of Roumania, 55; the King of the Belgians, 59; the Emperor of Austria, 64; the King of Sweden and Norway, 65; the Shah of Persia, 65; Queen Victoria, 75; and the King of Denmark, now the oldest among ruling sovereigns, 76.—*Westminster Budget.*

A New York *Sun* writer recalls an occasion on which Gerster struck the high F. It was such a wonderful feat that when she stopped the house remained silent. People were so overwhelmed that they could not recover in time to applaud. While this death like silence prevailed a German in the top gallery, aroused beyond his self-control, shouted out: "Gott in himmel, dot vas der high F!" That brought down the house, broke the spell under which all were enthralled, and a whirlwind of laughter and applause followed. With her face wreathed in smiles Gerster ran off.

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NOW THE DANE.

Thomas Keene Appears Tonight as "Hamlet,"

Oakland Theater Goers Reveling in Tragedy.

First-Class Attractions Staged at the Local Houses.

Thomas Keene, the tragedian, is playing one of the most successful engagements at the Macdonough now that he has ever had in California. He is also acting with an intelligence and power which he never exhibited before. He is showing more than ever the justice of the claim of his friends that he is the legitimate successor in tragic roles of the lamented stars, Barrett and Booth.

Last night he appeared in *Richard III* before a most critical audience. It was an audience that was capable of discerning the finest points in the actor's work and at the same time appreciating the subtle phases of the character of "Gloster."

All of Mr. Keene's soliloquies were appreciated and applauded. The star is supported by a fine company. In the tower scene the parting between the Queen and Princes was so tearfully worked up that the participants received a recall.

Tonight Mr. Keene closes his engagement here, appearing in another of his great characterizations, "Hamlet."

The Oriental.

Sam Patch's jump was a great one, so is that of Ribaud. From a small platform at a vast distance from the stage of the Oriental Theater he falls backward, turns in midair and alights upon his feet, while the audience sits breathless. Stunken and Burrell's clog dancing is the best ever witnessed here. Wylde and Morrell's "Wealth and Poverty" is an operetta that is pathetic and full of human interest. Mazella, as an equilibrist, is a marvel, and George Harrison, Julia Linton, Oro and Troxell and Bertha Kellogg make up a programme that is one of marked excellence.

Monday, December 31st, in addition to a well-selected vaudeville company, the celebrated melodrama, *The Operator*, with the Newell Brothers, the only twin stars in the world, will be presented.

The People's.

Hundreds were turned away from the People's Theater last night and the packed house indicated the popularity of the holiday attraction now on the stage of this place of entertainment.

That this bright and sparkling burlesque, *Aladdin*, should have met with the success already recorded is not to be wondered at when the merits of the production are considered. A more attractive spectacular entertainment has seldom been staged in any theater. Popular prices have been maintained, notwithstanding the enormous expense entailed by the staging of this elaborate piece. The result has been a surprise on all hands.

The Baldwin.

At the Baldwin Theater the great extravaganza, *Aladdin Jr.*, is nightly packing the house. There need be but little surprise at this statement, because the attraction in every respect is on the grandest scale imaginable. It will run all this week.

The California.

At the California Theater Sadie Martinot has scored a great success. The audience goes wild with appreciation, and the critics are declaring her to be one of the finest comediennes that has played at this theater. She is supported by Max Figman and a fine company, the play being *The Passport.*

The Orpheum.

The attraction at the Orpheum this week is as great as those drawing cards which have packed the house for months past. As a consequence, there is no chance to secure a seat after a certain hour in the evening. The Christmas business was phenomenally large. Among the stars are Lydia Yeamans Titus, Frederick J. Titus, John and Nellie McCarthy, Alice Raymond and Cascado.

The Tivoli.

At the Tivoli *Lalla Rookh*, with its mirth, music and specialties, is attracting large and delighted audiences. The music is of the sweetest order and the transformation scenes are novel and gorgeous. The piece will run all the week.

Morosco's.

At Morosco's Grand Opera House the sterling melodrama *The Silver King* occupies the boards. It is mounted in a most superb manner and is finely acted.

The Alcazar.

At the Alcazar Theater Haverly's Company of black-faced artists have established a permanent home of minstrelsy, which is thronged every night. The company is a strong one, and is strengthened from time to time by noted men in the business. *Aladdin or the Wonderful Scamp* is the closing feature.

Stockwell's.

At Stockwell's Theater *The Wolves of New York* is on the boards, with Leonard Grover Jr. in the leading comedy role.

Bush Street Theater.

The White Woman, with Lillian Bedard in the title role, is the attraction at the Bush Street Theater.

Rae Goes Free.

George Rae, the man who was suspected of being one of the Judson robbers was discharged from custody, Christmas Eve by Judge Shaw. The examination consumed several days.

Are free from all crude and irritating matter. Concentrated medicine only. Carter's Little Liver Pills. Very small; very easy to take; no pain; no griping; no purging. Try them.

ANGLO-ASTORS.

The Permanent Home Is to Be in England.

All Affiliations Now Are in Foreign Lands.

The Recent Demise Proved a Great Shock to Society.

NEW YORK, December 26.—A special dispatch to the *World* from London says:

The strict seclusion observed by the Astor family at Cliveden during the past three months has been much discussed in the village of Taplow. The Astors preserved a secrecy touching Mr. Astor's illness which is usual only with royalties, and it is stated that far less was known about the affairs of the mansion in the vicinity than when it was tenanted by the Duke of Westminster and others, who live only in history.

The *World* correspondent learned, however, that the principal feature of the deceased lady's illness was a profound depression, which could not be dispelled, rendering her case almost hopeless from the first.

Mrs. Astor suffered from a severe illness early in the year. Since then, her health has never been robust, but it transpired only about three weeks ago, owing to the visits of a leading London doctor, that she was again sick. It is said now that, though her physical ailments were complicated, they might have been amenable to treatment, if the patient had seconded the efforts of her doctors by any attempt to fight against them.

Death came somewhat suddenly and quite unexpectedly, it being believed both by the family and the physicians that there was no immediate danger, though little hope of ultimate recovery was entertained.

The husband was completely prostrated by the blow, weakened as he was by apprehension which had oppressed him sorely. For several weeks he had been seen nowhere in society, though he rarely missed going to attend business at his handsome office in Thames Embankment, London, a few hours each day.

It has been Mr. Astor's custom to see his lawyers and accountants almost every day and to confer with editors of his various publications. He often dictates articles to shorthand clerks and, indeed, he exhibits a business shrewdness and capacity for details which long ago convinced all brought in contact with him that had he not inherited a fortune he certainly would have made one.

His wife's illness and death have accentuated Mr. Astor's increasing distaste for social pleasures and practically made him a recluse.

When able to get about Mrs. Astor took an active personal interest in the extensive alterations of Cliveden, which were effected mainly according to her ideas as Taplow people tell. On recovering from her first illness she had all the work accomplished during her absence done over again at great expense.

Though the Astors spent much money in their immediate neighborhood, the people express disappointment that they did not entertain on as lavish a scale as they anticipated. The house seems to have impressed the people of the neighborhood as being pervaded by an atmosphere of gloom very different from what it was in the hands of its former tenants.

It is now common rumor in Taplow that Mr. Astor will leave Cliveden, which may be repurchased by the Duke of Westminister, who always regretted selling it.

It is also thought in Taplow that Mr. Astor will return to live in America, but those best acquainted with him declare it very improbable, all his plans being based on making England his permanent home.

SENT TO THE POPE.

Dr. Smith Wrote His Song for the Vatican Library.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., December 26.—A copy of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," in the handwriting of the Rev. Dr. Samuel Smith, who wrote the hymn in 1832, is now on the way to Rome, the gift of David Secor Pell of this city to the Pope for the Vatican Library. It is not the original manuscript as has been stated.

Mr. Pell said in an interview: "The author of 'America,' Dr. Smith, who was in the same class with Oliver Wendell Holmes, is now living in Newton, Mass. He is 86 years old. Dr. Smith and I were together at the World's Fair. I was judge of gold and silver and other exhibits from all countries. Dr. Smith wrote out five copies of 'America' for me, which were sent to Russia, Denmark, Spain, Italy and Japan.

"Last summer I told the story to the Rev. William Maynard of Milford, and he suggested that we communicate with Monsignor Satolli in reference to sending a copy similar to the other five to His Holiness the Pope. We did so, with the result you know. The copy is in a handsome frame.

"The national hymn was directed to Dr. O'Connell, rector of the American College in Rome, and we will hear about it no doubt from the highest source."

Mr. Pell is in his seventy-first year and is devoting his time to art and scientific collections. The collections in the Bridgeport Scientific Society were made and arranged by him.

KINDLY REMEMBERED.

Piedmont Employes Give F. A. Ross a Handsome Present.

F. A. Ross has resigned as assistant superintendent of the Piedmont Consolidated Cable Company. Last evening the employes of the road went to his house and presented him with a handsome gold watch, accompanied by the following address:

"OAKLAND, December 25, 1894.

"*F. A. Ross*—DEAR SIR: We, the undersigned employes of the Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company, wish to express our regret at your determination to resign your position as assistant superintendent of the road.

"Although you have exercised strict discipline and not tolerated the slightest neglect of duty, yet we have always had confidence that we obtained impartial justice, and have had implicit reliance in your fair treatment of us.

"Your knowledge of operating cars and handling men has helped us in many emergencies, and we appreciate the relationship, devoid of friction and petty annoyances, that has existed between you and us for so long.

"As a token of our esteem and friendship permit us to present to you this gold watch, not for its intrinsic value alone, but that it may serve as a future memento of our good will toward you.

"In bidding you farewell it affords us a great deal of pleasure to learn in your new field of labor your chances of promotion will be much greater, and we feel assured, with your varied abilities, you will be able to achieve the success you so richly deserve in any position you may be called upon to fill. Committee,

L. A. ABELL,
"D. McKINNON,
"S. R. LONGWELL,
"W. McCARTY,
"D. GRANT."

Fill the Children's Stockings
With only the purest and freshest candy, such as you can get at Lehnhardt's, 1159 Broadway, between 13th and 14th sts.

Exhibition of Pictures and Art Novelties
The public is cordially invited to attend the exhibition of oil paintings, water colors, etchings, hand-painted reproductions and photographs from celebrated European paintings now being displayed at the art rooms of Kenney & Wells, 1110 Broadway. Photo panels, fancy mirrors and art novelties are also to be found in great profusion, with prices lower than ever. Remember you are welcome, whether you intend to purchase or not.

BOOKS—see the BOOK OF THE WAR and others on subscription M. S. SMITH & SONS, 1151-1153 Broadway Oakland.

The best of wines, liquors and cigars, at "Our Corner," Fifteenth and San Pablo. Ike Foster, proprietor.

Keep Warmers, or Ulsters for $8.50 worth $12. J. T. Moran, Leading Clothier 1017-1019 Broadway.

Gold, Silver or Nickel.
Frost & Johnson, the electro platers have just completed the removal of their works to ... Broadway. By the location of this establishment Oakland has gained another link in the chain of enterprise and many will be glad to know that they can get any kind of Gold, Silver, Copper and Bronze plating done. They make a specialty of silverware, jewelry, carriage rails and lamps, chandeliers, window stands and brackets for glass shelving.

Fine new Upright Pianos for $167.50. This week only. F. R. Girard, Central Bank, Fourteenth and Broadway.

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For the finest assortment of Holiday Candies, Christmas Tree Ornaments, Baskets, Imitations, Cap Bon Bons, Candles, Candle Holders, etc., etc., go to Reuter's 915 Broadway. Guess the weight of the Plum Pudding. Special rates made on candies to churches and Sunday school festivals.

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NOTE—Sale will continue at 2 P. M. and evening at 7:30 until the stock is disposed of.
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The Oakland Paving Co., With the benefit of twenty years' experience and of a quarry, the rock from which is the hardest, toughest and most durable yet used for macadamizing in this State, will execute municipal and private contracts for all branches of street work, and will continue to all orders for the shipment of its rock to other cities. Office, room 58, Blake & Moffitt building.

BADLY MIXED.

The Deadlock at Berkeley Is Still Unbroken.

A Lively Meeting of the Town Trustees.

The Factions Refuse to Unite on a New Clerk.

The deadlock in Berkeley's Town Board still continues. Frantic efforts have been made by the erstwhile bosses to break it, but in vain. Trustee Whiting, who for many a moon has waged a bitter but hopeless fight against the solid three and Manager James George Gardner of the Electric Light Company, holds the key to the situation, and with the aid of Trustee Hadlen is putting his foes to flight.

The West End Trustee is a surprise. It was thought that there were so many strings attached to him that he would "line up" with neatness and dispatch on every proposition. On the contrary, the little man with rosy face and sunset whiskers has developed an amazing pertinacity of purpose in standing by Trustee Whiting. As a result of the endeavors of these two men the town is without a Clerk or a full board and official business is at a standstill.

A meeting, concerning the legality of which there is much discussion, was held Monday night, and when an adjournment was taken matters had not advanced an inch.

Before the meeting dessperate attempts had been made to induce Hadlen to desert Whiting. The attempts were fruitless. Hadlen reiterated his intention to vote for Hadlen or Clerk, but swore that the vacant position on the board must first be filled. In case the "bosses" would not agree to this, they did not get the West Berkeley member. So to resume action, the trustees finally took their seats.

After considerable wrangling about the legality of the meeting, Trustee ... was elected chairman and Trustee Steubenrauch assumed the Clerk's duties.

Acton then announced that the election of a Clerk to fill Woodman's shoes was in order. ... Reuben ... nominated Prince. Seconded by Acton. A motion to elect Prince was put but as Whiting and Hadlen voted against the motion it was lost.

More wrangling ensued. Acton decided to settle Lewis's chances by a ballot. The enemy was caught unawares and declined to vote. Hadlen's adherents cast their ballots however and as the Alhambra received no majority of votes cast, he was declared elected. Whiting kicked, but the Attorney announced the election was valid. Prince, then, he rejected too soon however, as his opponents voted against the acceptance of his bonds. This placed matters at their former status.

In despair Acton decided to attempt the election of a ...

Steubenrauch nominated D. Anthony. Hadlen named J. Carter. The vote was a tie. ... substituted the name of ... Donovan in place of Carter. The status of the solid three ... .

... another ... the deadlock remained unbroken.

... the owner ... of the town's ... the ... the ... the monopoly ... by passing on the ... quietly until the ... company for ... reached.

Now came the opportunity which Whiting had long prayed and hoped to. The ... Trustee at once issued a manifesto that unless the electric light bill was to be considered separately he would refuse to vote for the passage of the rest of the bill. The two Trustees who have stuck by the company through thick and thin were forced to accede to Whiting's terms. The latter then proposed that the bill be cut down one-fifth on account of the wretched service. Hadlen seconded the motion, as he claimed that the lights in his section of town were very unsatisfactory.

James George Gardner defended the service afforded by his company, but Hadlen and Whiting were obdurate despite Gardner's threats to bring the matter into court.

While the matter was still in abeyance Whiting and his ally left the room and went to their homes. As no quorum was left proceedings were brought to an end, and the circus was concluded with Chairman Acton's announcement that a meeting will be held Thursday night, when it is hoped the deadlock will be broken.

Unless a way out of the difficulty is found by next meeting time legal measures will be resorted to in order to compel the Trustees to elect a Clerk.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

WEDNESDAY, December 26th.

Frederick and Carmelita H. Boegle to Golden Gate Land and Improvement Company, lots 11 to 17 and 17 block B, lots 6 to 14, 16 to 19 block C, lots 1 and 4 block D, lots ... and 7 block ..., lots ... to 13 block ... lots 1 to 5 block G, lots 2 and 3 block H, lots ... to 13, 19 to 25 block I, lots 1 to 13, 18 to 25 block ..., 8 block M, Golden Gate tract, lots 1 and block A, lots 1 to ... and 6 block B, lots ..., block G, lots ... and ... block D, lots 10 and 11 and west ... feet of lots ... and ... block L, lots 1 to ... to 3, block 1, J. L. McIlrath tract, Oakland township, $10.

Same to John H. Dickinson, lots 1 to 4 block F, Golden Gate tract subject to a mortgage for $1120, Oakland township, $10.

Elsie Ann McIlrath wife of J. E., to Bartholomew Baker lot on north line of Forty-fifth street ... feet from West ... 30 by north 101 being lot 25 block 2108 Alden tract Temescal, Oakland township, $10.

Reuben Robie to Reuben W. Robie, lot on east line of Walnut street 205.02 feet north from Virginia, north ... by east 135 being lot ... block D, Percy tract, Berkeley, $10.

M. J. and J. W. ... to Lena McMullen, lot on northeast corner of Walter avenue and Orchard street, east 50 by north 135.50 being lots 1 and 2 block G, amended map of Mo... tract, Brooklyn township, $10.

W. E. and Emma Dengle to J. J. O'Rourke, lots ... to 7, Rose tract, Brooklyn township, $5.

Fruit Vale Land Company (a corporation) to Samuel S. Austin, lot on southeast line of Harrison avenue, 193.40 feet southwest from county road from Oakland to San Leandro, southwest 25 by southeast 120 being the northeast ½ of lot 16 block C, Huntington tract, Brooklyn township, $5.

Marion Sides to same, lots 34 and 35 and north 90 feet of lot 33 and south 30 feet of lot 36, revised map of J. Levi Sr. tract (excepting lot 16, Rio Grande tract) Brooklyn township, $10.

Samuel S. Austin to D. J. Moore, lot on northeast line of Lawrence street, 335 feet southeast from Baker avenue, southeast 25 by northeast 150, lot 16, Rio Grande tract, Brooklyn township, $5.

Harris Weymouth to Pearl F. Pitcher, ... lot 33, town of Livermore, Murray township, $25.

Michael ... to Bridget Allen lot on south line of ... Twenty-fifth street, ... feet ... from Telegraph avenue, west ... being ... block O, Kel... tract, ... grant.

... to George W. Taft, ... at a point where ... intersects the ... thence northeast ... southeast ... to the beginning being portion of ... Rancho V. and D. Peralta, Oakland township, $10.

... Young to Belle Hoots ... of ... lot 11 block ..., Broadway and Telegraph Avenue tract, Oakland ..., $10.

Charles A. and Alice C. Banes to Carlton ... north line of Francisco street ... east from Grant, west ... being portion of lot 9 block 2, ... Homestead Association No. ..., Berkeley, $5.

... to Martha J. McKerney lot on west line of Benton street, ... feet south from Pacific avenue, south ... by ... block ..., $1.

... George John and Charles Weber and Louisa Kreamke to Katharina Weber lot on north line of Central avenue, 100 feet east from Twelfth or Bay street, east ... by north 100 being ... and west ... block 19, Fitch tract, Alameda, gift.

Peter Weber to same, same, Alameda, gift.

... and Maria M. Amoral to O... O. S..., piece of land containing 53.12 acres beginning at a point on the south boundary line of survey No. ..., lands of ... Mission San Jose, distant southwest ... chains from Station No. 1 of survey No. 31 thence southwest 15.79 chains, south ... chains, northwest ... 05 chains, northeast 23 chains, northeast 19.3... chains, southeast 30.10 chains to beginning, being portion of survey No. 31 ex Mission San Jose, Washington township, $5.

Charles and Minnie Rathke to Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, right of easement over a strip of land bounded west and north by county road between Sunol, Dublin and county road running between first mentioned county road and village of Pleasanton, and upon east and south sides by dividing line between lands of first and second party and dividing line of first party and lands of Chadbourne, Murray township, grant.

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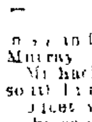

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THE INDIANS.

Reports Made by Agents of the Government.

Suggestions Made Regarding the Rations.

Whisky Is a Great Hindrance to Their Prosperity.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—General complaint against the issuance of Government rations to the Indians is made in the annual reports of agents.

Captain P. H. Ray of the Shoshone Agency, Wyoming, says: "They will never become self-supporting as long as the Government gives them a semblance of support. Neither can they begin to accumulate property as long as the supply of the necessaries of life is solely in the hands of white traders."

Another factor retarding the development complained of by Captain Ray is the domination of chiefs being allowed to dictate to agents as to the issue of annuities and affairs of the agency.

The removal of the troublesome chiefs is recommended.

The Shoshones are regarded as communists, who are loath to take up any untried pursuit.

Their agent recommends that the ration issue, except to the indigent and helpless, be gradually discontinued and the money now used for rations be devoted to the payment of Indian labor.

The international treaty of the Government in regard to seal hunting in the North Pacific and Bering sea has worked a great hardship to the Indians at Neah Bay Agency, Washington.

These Indians cannot agree upon a head man, or chief, and consequently are divided among themselves. They regard the failure to select some one as disadvantageous to them. Considerable opposition to the work of the commission preparing lands on the Puyallup reservation for sale has been shown by the minority of these Indians, but the faction is evidently influenced by outside parties interested in having all restrictions removed.

The progress made at Tulalip agency, Wash., indicates that within a few years these Indians will become self-supporting and independent of Government aid.

Some definite action is urged upon the department to restore to the Yakimas their rights at their accustomed fisheries on the Columbia river, Washington, the dispute over which has resulted in considerable trouble.

The Yakimas refuse to take allotments, but have marked off a line which they claim as their reservation in common. They are reported in bad financial condition and in great need of Government assistance.

"Whisky," says Agent Erwin, "is the greatest hindrance to the Indian prosperity. There is immense traffic in alcohol and vile decoctions carried on with them and one murder and two violent deaths during the year is charged to whisky."

REPLY TO CORBETT.

Bob Fitzsimmons Is Still Anxious to Meet the Champion.

CHICAGO, December 26.—Champion Corbett's recent remarks, which were derogatory to the Edison Kinetoscope offer, are not taken kindly by Bob Fitzsimmons or his manager, Captain Glori. Both discussed the letter freely and were at a loss to understand the attitude taken by Corbett.

"The Edison people have assured us that they could take the contest on the kinetoscope, the figures to be life size, and that they could take three-minute rounds and would want only one minute between rounds," said the lanky boxer from kangaroo land. "They say they have the machine perfected to that extent. Corbett talks about Jacksonville as the battleground, but I do not see how he can figure it, unless he has some good private information from his friends there. He insinuates, in an uncalled-for manner, that I do not want what Queensberry rules call for, but he need not be alarmed on that score. I am just as anxious to box as he is, and perhaps a little more so."

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Cereals.

FLOUR—Net cash—Family extra, $3 40@3 50 ⅌ bbl; Superfine, $2 10@2 65; Bakers' extra $3 30@3 40.

WHEAT—No. 1 Shipping, 86¼@87½c; choice to fancy, 88¾c, good to choice White Milling, 92½@97½c.

OATS—Feed, good to choice, 85@90c; No. 1 92½c@$1 00; choice to fancy $1 02½@1 10; Surprise, $1 05@1 15; Milling, $1 02½@1 12½; Norway Black, $1 15@1 30; Gray, 92½c@$1 02½; Red, $1 07½@1 15.

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, 80@81¼c; No. 1 Feed, 82½@83¾c; extra choice, 85c; Brewing, 95@96c.

CORN—Small yellow, ctl, $1 20@1 27½; Large yellow, $1 10@1 15; White, $1 17½@1 25.

RYE—95@97½c ⅌ ctl.

BRAN—No. 1, $11@12 ⅌ ton.

MIDDLINGS—Fair to good, ⅌ ton, $16 50@17; No. 1, $17@17 50; extra choice, $18@18.

BUCKWHEAT—9 c@$1 ⅌ ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—$18@19 50 ⅌ ton.

HOPS—4@9c ⅌ lb, according to quality.

BEANS—Large White, $2 15 @ 2 30; Small White, $2 25@2 50; Pea and Tree Beans, $2 25@2 50; Butter, $1 75@1 90; Lima, $3 00@1 25; Red, $1 65@1 80; Pink, $1 10@1 35; Bayou, $1 75@1 90; Black-eyed Beans, $3 00@3 25; Red Kidneys, $3@3 25 ⅌ ctl.

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard, ⅌ ctl, $2 25@2 40; native, $1 75@2; Canary, 3@4c for California; 4@4½c for imported; Hemp, 3¼@4½c; Flax, 3c@3¼c; Rape, 1½@2½c; Timothy, 5@6c; Alfalfa, 5@7½c for California and 8@9c for Utah.

HAY—Wheat, $9@12; Clover, $8@10 50; Wild Oat, $8 50@10 50; Alfalfa, $8@9 50; Wheat and Oat, $9@11; Tame Oat, $9@10 50; Barley, $6 50@9; Stock, $6@7 50; Compressed, $9@12.

STRAW—60@75c ⅌ bale.

Fruits and Vegetables.

FRUIT—Bananas, bch, $1 25@2 50; Apples, bx, ordinary, 35@60c; fancy, 75c@$1; Pears, box common, 25@50c; Mexican Limes, $4@4 50; Lemons, California, common, $2 00@3; fancy, $3@4; Santa Barbara, fancy, $4 00@5; Pineapples, dozen, $3@6; common $1@2; Cape Cod Cranberries, bbl, $14; Persimmons, box, 40@75c; Oranges, Washington Navels, $2 50@3 50; Seedlings, $1 25@2; Florida Oranges, $2 75@3; Loreto Oranges, $2@2 50; Lady Apples, $2@2 50.

VEGETABLES—Beets, sk, 70@80c; Garlic, lb, 2@3½c; Cabbage, ctl, 50@70c; Cauliflower, doz, 60@75c; Parsnips, sk, $1 00@1 25; Turnips, 60c@8 c; Carrots, 35@50c, Tomatoes, 25@60c; Celery, doz, 40@50c; Green Peppers, bx, 35@50c; Los Angeles Green Peas, lb, 6@10c; String Beans 6@9c; Mushrooms, 5@20c; Rhubarb, bx, 75c@$1.

POTATOES—Good to choice, ctl, Early Rose, 25@35c; River Reds, 30@35c; Burbanks, River, 20c@45c; Oregon, 60@75c; Salinas, 85c@$1; Sweet Potatoes, ctl, 50c@$1; New Potatoes, lb, 2@2½c.

ONIONS—Good to choice Silverskins, 40@60c ⅌ ctl.

Dried Fruits.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, ⅌ lb, sun dried, 4@5½c; evaporated, 5@7½c; Apricots, bleached, 6@7½c; Moorpark, 8@9½c; sun dried, 5@6c; Peaches, bleached, unpeeled, 6@9½c; peeled boxes, 10@12c; sun dried, 6 @ 6½c; Plums pitted, 4 @ 5c; do, unpitted, 1@2c; French Prunes sks, ⅌ lb 50 to 60, 5½c; 60 to 70, 5c; 70 to 80 4½c; 80 to 90, 4c; 90 to 100, 3½c; boxes, 5@5½c; ungraded, 2@3c; Pears, sliced, 4@5c; quartered, 4@5c; Figs, Smyrna, ⅌ lb, 10@12c; California boxes, 75c@$1; sks, 2@2½c ⅌ lb.

Dairy Produce and Poultry.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ⅌ lb, 21@23c; fancy dairy, 18@19c; choice, 15@17c; fair to good, 12@14c; pickled roll, new, 14@16c; firkin, new, 14@17c; dairy packed tubs, 16@19c; creamery in tubs, 19@20c.

EGGS—California, choice ranch, dozen, 32½@35c; store, 24@25c; Eastern, 24@25c; Duck Eggs, nominal.

CHEESE—Mild, new, ⅌ lb, 8@10c; California Young America, choice to fancy, 8@11c; New York Cream, 12@14c; Western, 11@13c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, doz, $3 50@4 00; young, $4 00@5 00; fryers, $3 50@4; broilers, large, $3 50@4; small, $2@3 50; Hens, doz, $3@4; Ducks, old, $1 50@3 50; young, $4 50@5 50; Turkeys, live, Hens, lb, 9@10c; Gobblers, 9@10c; dressed, 9@11c; Geese, pair, $1 50@1 75; Goslings, $1 50@1 75; Pigeons, doz, $1 25@1 50; old, $1.

GAME—Quail, $1@1 25 ⅌ doz; Ducks—Teal, $1 small, $1; Mallard, $2 50; Canvasback, $3@4; Sprig, $1 50@1 75; Widgeon, $1; Brant, $1 25@1 50; Geese—Gray, $2 50; White $1@1 25; Hare, $1@1 25; Rabbits $1 25@1 50; Snipe, common, $1@1 25; do English, $2.

San Francisco Meat Market.

No particular change in any description. Wholesale rates for dressed stock from slaughterers are as follows:

BEEF—First quality, 5c@5½c; second quality, 4@4½c; third do, 4@3½c ⅌ lb.

VEAL—Large, 5@6c; small, 7c ⅌ lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 5@5½c; Ewes, 4@4½c ⅌ lb.

LAMB—5@6c ⅌ lb.

PORK—Live hogs, 4¾@5c for heavy and medium grain fed, and 4c ⅌ lb for small fat; dressed do, 6@6½c ⅌ lb.

RETAIL MARKET.

The following quotations are the prices prevailing in the Oakland retail market:

Produce and Poultry.

Eggs, California, ⅌ doz	$ 35	@	40
Butter, choice, ⅌ roll	50	@	60
Turkeys, ⅌ lb	15	@	18
Chickens, Broilers, apiece	35	@	70
Chickens, hens, apiece	55	@	50
Chickens, Roosters, apiece	60	@	75
Geese, apiece	75	@	1 00

Vegetables and Fruit.

Potatoes ⅌ lb	½	@	1
Summer Squash, ⅌ lb	3	@	4
String Beans, ⅌ lb	6	@	7
Tomatoes, ⅌ lb	6	@	7
Strawberries, ⅌ box	50	@	65
Raspberries	30	@	40
Green Apples, ⅌ basket	60	@	75
Grapes, ⅌ box	75	@	1 00

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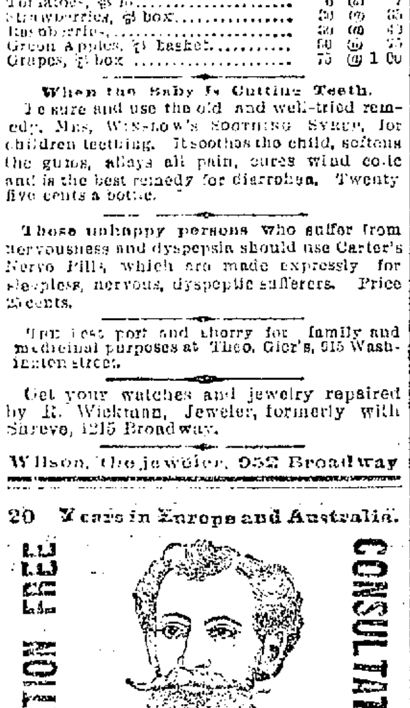

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Application for Change of Name.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the application of Lilly Magnin for change of name.

To the Honorable, the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, the petition of Lilly Magnin respectfully shows:

That your petitioner is and for a long time past immediately preceding the filing of this petition has been a bona fide resident of the County of Alameda, State of California, over the age of twenty-one years.

That your petitioner was born at San Leandro, State of California.

That the present name of your petitioner is Lilly Magnin and that the name the petitioner wishes to assume in the place and stead of Lilly Magnin is Lilly Hesser, the maiden name of petitioner.

That the reason why petitioner wishes to change her name is that she has obtained a divorce from her husband, one Joseph Magnin, and does not wish to be known in the future as Mrs. Lilly Magnin.

That the father of your petitioner is now deceased and the names of the near relatives of your petitioner are as follows, to wit: Mrs. A. Hesser, mother of petitioner, and Miss Minna Hesser, sister of petitioner, both residing at San Francisco, California, and Mrs. Clara Herrscher, sister of petitioner, residing at San Leandro, California.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that this Honorable Court will fix time and place for the hearing of this application and upon such hearing will make an order changing your petitioner's name from Lilly Magnin to Lilly Hesser.

Dated December 20, 1894.

LILLY MAGNIN, Petitioner.

JAS. P. SWEENEY Esq., Attorney for Petitioner, No. 217 Sansome Street, San Francisco.

CITATION.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California, Department No. 1—Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William A. Aldrich, deceased.

Citation.

The People of the State of California to George Albert Aldrich, Annie Aldrich Barton, Helen Aldrich Dunning, William Holt Aldrich, Minnie C. Aldrich, Helen H. Aldrich, Bernice B. Aldrich, Aileen Aldrich, William A. Aldrich and Swinton D. Aldrich, Greeting:

By order of this court, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to appear before this court, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 thereof, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on Monday, the twenty-eighth (28th) day of January, A. D. 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day then and there to show cause, if any you have why the accounts of Annie Aldrich Barton, Helen Aldrich Dunning, Arthur A. Smith and Joseph M. Quay, as Trustees created in and by the last will of said William A. Aldrich, deceased, presented to and filed in this court on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1894, should not be allowed and settled.

Said accounts embrace the period commencing on the 31st day of May, 1893, and ending on the 31st day of July, 1894, and are now on file in this court, and are hereby referred to.

Witness, the Honorable W. E. GREENE, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the County of Alameda, with the seal of said court affixed, this 20th day of November, A. D. 1894.

Attest:

SEAL OF SUPERIOR COURT OF ALAMEDA COUNTY	JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk. By ROBT. C. BEACH, Deputy Clerk.

A. N. DROWN, Attorney for Trustees, Rooms 2-4, No. 104 Sutter street, San Francisco, Cal.

MEETING NOTICES.

Annual Meeting Stockholders.

FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' SAVINGS Bank of Oakland, California.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 1103 Broadway, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 8th day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. By order of

EDSON F. ADAMS, President.

JAMES C. MCKEE, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, OAKland, Cal., December 15, 1894. The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings, will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth street, Oakland, on Monday, January 14, 1895, at three o'clock P. M.

ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

Annual Meeting Stockholders Union National Bank.

THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the Corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

Stockholders' Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner Fourteenth and Broadway streets, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 P. M.

W. G. PALMANTEER, Vice-President.

C. R. YATES, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MOUNTain View Cemetery Association will be held in the parlors of the Central Bank, at 3 P. M. on Monday, January 7, 1895.

E. P. OUTRAM, Secretary.

Oakland, December 21, 1894.

LEGAL.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Martin M. Samson, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Martin M. Samson having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Martin M. Samson is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda County, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $5500 conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Martin M. Samson, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this Court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association, for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, Department No. 4, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the County of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 12th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN, Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: Filed December 12, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE, County Clerk.

By N. G. STURTEVANT, Deputy Clerk.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Mary Josephine Cordano, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Mary Josephine Cordano having filed in this court her petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that she is an insolvent debtor, the said Mary Josephine Cordano is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda county, be, and he is, hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $400, conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Mary Josephine Cordano, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all her deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of her estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to her, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for her use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

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And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 14th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN, Judge of the Superior Court.

HIRAM A. LUTTRELL, Attorney for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—SAVINGS AND LOAN Society, 101 Montgomery street, corner Sutter, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895.

CYRUS W. CARMANY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — THE OAKLAND Bank of Savings, Oakland Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on ALL savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal, from and after January 1, 1895.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, 532 California street, corner of Webb—For the half year ending with the 31st day of December, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d of January, 1895.

LOVELL WHITE, Cashier.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, Cal.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. — FOR THE SIX months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d day of January, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest.

JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, OAKLAND, California—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1894, at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term accounts, payable on and after January 2, 1895.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — CENTRAL BANK, Oakland, Cal., for the six months ending December 31st, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term deposits, payable on and after January 1, 1895. Said dividend, if not called for, to be added to principal and draw like interest from January 1, 1895.

C. R. YATES, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. — THE GERMAN Savings and Loan Society, 526 California street, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and four and one-sixth (4⅙) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2d, 1895.

GEO. TOURNY, Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of ALICE A. DAVIS, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, executrix of the estate of Alice A. Davis, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix, at the office of Chickering, Thomas & Gregory and Gerstle & Sloss, 206 Sansome street, San Francisco, Cal., which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Alice A. Davis, deceased.

MARY E. EVANS, Executrix of the estate of Alice A. Davis, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 3, 1894.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of HENRY BLAKE, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, administrator of the estate of Henry Blake, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at Mills building, corner Montgomery and Bush streets, Room 30, fourth floor, San Francisco, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

F. L. BENJAMIN, Administrator of the estate of Henry Blake, deceased.

Dated at San Francisco, November 27, 1894.

WINTER SPORTS.

Two Entertainments at the Reliance Club.

Football Players Anxious for the Contest.

Acme Athletes Are Preparing for a Busy Season.

A review of the sporting events of the past week is recorded herewith.

THE UMPIRE.

Tip O'Neill dropped into Oakland Saturday night for the purpose of visiting some of his old friends and spending Christmas with them. I met the ex-captain on Broadway, and as usual he was ready to talk baseball. O'Neill has not been attached to a regular club during the past year, but he has had employment all the same and has made just as much money as many of the players. He is still associated with Colonel Robinson cleaning up and disposing of the remains of the Midwinter fair. He has managed to live well and has laid aside a little money, for Tip always looks out for a rainy day. He is just as enthusiastic as ever on baseball, and has been watching every move that has been made looking towards the formation of a new league for next year.

If a league is formed it is very probable that Tip will be in the Oakland nine. He informed me that he had received a flattering offer from Vanderbeck to go East next season, but he has not yet made arrangements to leave the coast. In fact he does not propose to tie himself up to any team at the present time. "If I should accept the terms offered me by Vanderbeck," said he, "I would at once be placed on the reserve list and could not play with any other club. I would simply have to remain in a position to answer Vanderbeck's call. While I am pleased to receive his offer, still I do not think it would be advisable for me to tie myself up at this time in view of the prospects I have for the future. If a certain deal goes through in which I am interested I will be fixed for a long time to come and will not have to depend on baseball for a living. I have been told not to tie myself up with a contract just at present, and it looks very much as though I am going to be given a good position."

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O'Neill seems to think a league will be formed next year. "Baseball can be revived on this coast," said he, "and if the game is properly managed the men back of the league will make money out of the investment. The managers will have to be very careful, however, and they must not expect to make any money at the start. I know that baseball can be made to pay in this State. When I was running the Oakland team we made money even on our trips to Los Angeles. The trouble with us was that we were trying to run the league on an expensive basis, and paid salaries that were beyond reason for the work that was done by the players. In my judgment I believe the game could be made to pay right in this city. You have the grounds here, and all you require is a good team. The people could be easily educated up to attending the games. If I was in the new deal I would first establish a board of directors to manage the club. I would select men on the board who are well known for their business ability and took an interest in baseball. They would be men who would give a standing to the club. I would have such men as J. T. Moran, Alex Hirshberg, T. C. Coogan, George W. Wheaton, Edward Hall, Fred Poor, D. W. Kirkland, John R. Glasscock, Will Hackett and George De Golia on the board. I think these gentlemen could be induced to act as honorary directors. I would allow them to select the manager of the team, and should insist that they control the policy of the team. Under these circumstances I can see no reason in the world why the game should not be made to pay in Oakland. I want to see a league formed for next year, for in my opinion there is a great field for baseball in California."

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Lou Hardie, a veteran baseball player, is still holding down the position as collector of the Acme Club. He makes a splendid man for the position and is popular with the boys. Hardie is at present acting as a trial juror in the Superior Court, and he is accepted on nearly every jury on which he is called. We all remember Hardie as a clever baseball player. He made a record with both the Chicago and Boston clubs when he was in the baseball swim. If a team is formed in Oakland I think he could be induced to join it.

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George Van Haltren is getting in some good practice this winter, and he says he will be in prime condition when he goes back to New York to begin the season of 1895. George has astonished some of the old-time baseball enthusiasts in this city by his great playing in the winter games. He looks every inch a baseball player, and his Oakland friends have every reason to be proud of his advancement in the baseball world.

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Patsy Cahill is looking out for a good position next year. He is working hard in the winter games so as to make a showing, for if his record is good it will help him out in securing a contract. Cahill is not anxious about salary, for all he wants out of the game is a living from year to year. Money is no object to Patsy, for he spends it as fast as he gets it. Patsy could easily be induced to remain at home if he saw a chance to get an engagement with a local team.

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Phil Knell, who was at one time a member of the colonel's team, is doing some good work in the box for the San Francisco Club. Knell is an ambitious fellow, and does not seem to be afraid of hard work. He is always working for a record as a pitcher.

THE UMPIRE.

ACME ATHLETES.

The Club is Preparing for the Annual Exhibition.

The annual exhibition of the Acme Club will be given at the Macdonough Theater on the evening of the 22d of February.

The performers are training hard and promise to make the eyes of the audience bulge out with some new and startling features.

Eight new pyramids are to be exhibited and the eleven performers are almost perfect in their parts.

Another feature will be the leaping board from which double somersaults and all sorts of high and lofty tumbling will be performed.

Then again Bob Starkey is going to astonish the natives with some bar performances. Among several new tricks he is going to use will be one which at first thought appears impossible. He will swing from one bar over another on the fly and catch a third bar.

Al Lean and Bob Landar are working hard for the success of the exhibition.

THE RELIANCE CLUB.

Two Entertainments Arranged for the Ladies.

The directors of the Reliance Athletic Club have made arrangements to give an entertainment at the clubrooms this evening. Mr. Matby, the champion trick bicycle rider, has consented to give an exhibition. Some of the athletes of the club will also give an exhibition. The members of the club will invite their lady friends to be present.

Next Friday night the club will give a musicale in the gymnasium. A fine programme has been arranged for this occasion. The club will invite the ladies to be present.

STANFORD BEATEN.

The Chicago Team Captures the First Game.

The Chicago University team celebrated its first game in California yesterday by outplaying Stanford to the tune of 24 to 4.

The poor condition of the Californians is responsible for the one-sided score. Stanford played well in the first half and prevented the visitors from scoring. In the second half Captain Downing's warriors petered out entirely and Chicago scored almost at will. Wyant and Allen tore the Stanford line to crams. Lamay, Ewing and Nichols took advantage of the let-up on their opponents' part and ran, dodged and interfered in great style.

In close places, Hirschberger was called on to kick the ball and had no difficulty in outpunting Kennedy.

Stanford's defensive play was streaky, but her offensive work was totally inadequate to make any change in the score.

On one occasion, Harrelson woke up and carried the pigskin twenty-five yards before he was downed. Her points were made on a blocked kick, similar to the Thanksgiving Day fluke, in which Frankenheimer broke through Chicago's line, secured the ball and touched it down.

ON THE ESTUARY.

The Yacht Club Will Elect Officers Tomorrow.

The California Yacht Club will hold its annual election of officers tomorrow night. The election day will also be the anniversary of the club's existence. The organization was formed by Al Duncomb, W. C. Wallace, A. Wilson, Jacob Hanlon, Jack Sherry, Louis McMurtry and B. Palmer.

The little band of enthusiasts had a hard row to hoe. Their number was small and money was scarce. But they had perseverance, and after leasing some land on the estuary, opposite the foot of Broadway, they turned to and with their own hands built a neat little clubhouse, which has been the scene of many an hospitable gathering.

The present board of officers is as follows: E. A. Von Schmidt, commodore; Arthur Wilson, vice commodore; Jack Sherry, port captain; Ed Walter, treasurer; Bruce Palmer, secretary; and Al Duncomb, Louis McMurtry and Captain Wilson, board of directors.

Thanks to the retiring officers, the club is in splendid condition both financially and in point of membership.

THEY MAY WIN.

Reliance Football Players Are Very Confident.

The result of the Chicago-Stanford game has given the Reliance men something to work on. They see the Eastern visitors are not invincible. Stagg's men triumphed over Stanford because the latter were in poor trim and without the full complement of players which lined up against Berkeley on Thanksgiving Day. Although weak the Californians, by the repetition of one play through Wyant and Allen, gained thirty-five yards. The local team will easily outclass Chicago's victims of yesterday. Bert Oliver has hardly a peer in the West, while Pringle, Marion Oliver, Edwards and Walton with the assistance of their fellows may be depended on to break up the interference and wedges of the sturdy athletes from the windy city and carry the ball to the enemy's goal. From now to New Year's day practice will be redoubled.

Particular study will be devoted to the checkmating of Chicago's prize plays, and the mighty men of Oakland will line up at Haight street with the reasonable assurance of successfully defending the championship of the West.

Experts, after a close study of yesterday's game, declare that the Reliance boys stand an excellent chance to win.

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PERSONAL.

P. W. Barton of Alameda has returned from Los Angeles.

D. L. Peusta of Amador county is visiting in this city.

Eugene Edwards of Suisun is spending the holidays with his parents in Berkeley.

Rafael Demoro of Berkeley leaves for San Salvador on January 8th.

C. L. Clarke of West Oakland is visiting in Sacramento.

J. T. Jepson of San Jose is sojourning in this city.

Miss Mary E. Foy, teacher of English literature in the Los Angeles High School, spent Christmas with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Taliesin Evans, and left this morning for Santa Cruz to attend the State Teachers' Association.

Wigs, dominos and masquerade supplies at Marvin's Hair Parlors, 1158 Washington street.

Miss R. A. Gallagher, Millinery, 1153 Washington street. Orders a specialty.

RANDOM NOTES.

The street railway between Lowell and Haverhill, Mass., is forty-two miles long. It is a continuous line and the longest in the world.

A horse thief has been jailed in Indiana who is said to have stolen more than a thousand horses.

In Berlin the rush to call boy babies Aegir, since the appearance of the Emperor's "Song to Aegir," has brought trouble on the registrar of births, who is forbidden by law to receive Pagan names. The matter has been referred to the Court Chamberlain.

It is proposed in Paris to establish a Grand Prix of $6,000 for bicyclists of all nations, the first race to come off next summer at Vincennes. A committee of the Municipal Council is considering how the money can be raised.

Sittings are free in forty-four out of the eighty-three Protestant Episcopal churches and chapels of New York, and the tendency is toward an extension of the free-seat system. Trinity Church and five of its chapels have free sittings, and the seats are free in most of the chapels attached to the richer parishes.

A "penny walk," which is now in vogue in New York, is one in which at every corner a penny is tossed to determine which way the walkers shall go. The directions that the sides of the penny shall indicate are decided in advance; thus it may be decided that heads shall mean right and tails left. Sometimes the penny walk takes the walkers on a course of many turns, and sometimes it takes them round and round the block.

A hundred head of ranch horses—sturdy, unbroken broncos from Wyoming—were sold in Denver for $90 and the freight recently. It is reported that a big stock firm in Idaho has turned more than 250 ponies adrift to shift for themselves during the winter, as it was cheaper to do this than to provide food for them. The firm could not get even a dollar apiece for them.

The chemical examination of the stains on the holy coat at Argenteuil, put on foot by the Bishop of Versailles, has resulted in a report by the two scientific experts engaged that the spots are of human blood and are very old.

Owing to the opposition of archæologists, the plans for the proposed reservoir at Assouan in Egypt have been modified so as to make the top of the dam twenty-six feet lower. This will save the temples at Philæ and other monuments, but will only supply water enough to irrigate either middle or lower Egypt, instead of both.

Over 1000 yards of linen cloth have been unrolled from one mummy. The cloth, in texture, resembles the cheese cloth of the present somewhat; it is finer in quality.

The simultaneous presence of four generations—represented by the Queen, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York and the latter's baby son—at Windsor, the other day, is a fact unique in the history of the English monarchy.—*New York Herald.*

A moral wave has struck Cleveland, Ohio. Orders have been given by the police that every gambler, thief, crook, divekeeper, owner of any resort where thieves are known to congregate, every loafer and drunkard and, in fact, every person whose presence in the city menaces the safety of the public must leave the city at once. Cleveland's purification will be its neighbor's menace.

Holiday Candies.
As usual the largest assortment of candy baskets, fancy boxes, comic imitations, etc., also the purest and finest candies at lowest prices can be found at Lehnhardt's, 1150 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets. Special rates to Sunday Schools.

A Hard Worker
And success should crown his untiring efforts to please any and all with whom he may come in contact, both socially or in a business way.
Referring to B. C. Lund, who has recently gone to a large expense in fitting up the finest cycling parlors in Oakland, which are located in the Central Bank building, on Fourteenth street, we would say, that he has executed splendid judgment in having arranged the salesroom, renting room and ladies' dressing room on the ground floor and the repairing department and storeroom in the basement.
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There was a great deal of excitement on Eleventh street, near Broadway, at noon today. It was at first supposed that some body had been injured, but it was afterwards ascertained that the crowd was attracted by curiosity to witness the transhipment to San Francisco of two immense gold bars by means of the Whitney Rapid Transfer Company, whose office is at 1072 Broadway, corner Tenth street.

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LIFE ON BOARD A WRECK.

It May Be Comfortable Enough Until the First Storm Comes.

In calm weather, a man might live for some time quite comfortably on an abandoned wreck at sea, but he would have an uneasy feeling that the first storm might knock the hulk to pieces. So he would fly distress signals and try to catch the eye of some passing skipper.
This world—particularly the civilized part of it—is full of people whose situation is like that of the abandoned ship. While the weather is not too changeable, and they don't work too hard, they laugh at the suggestion that they are not as strong as anybody.
But they stop laughing when the winter storms come, and toil and exposure and mental strain conspire to break them down.
They tell in a husky, uncertain voice, that they feel chilly, when their neighbors declare that the air is not cold. They have aches in the head and limbs, a cough and stiffness of the muscles. Sometimes they think they are going to be laid up with rheumatism.
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MAY BE SAFE.

Unexpected News About the Missing Ships.

The J. B. Brown Sighted Far Out at Sea.

Nothing Serious Thought to Have Happened the Columbia.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—The bark Wilma, which arrived this morning, seventeen days from Nanaimo, brings cheering news to the owners of one of the long overdue sailing vessels.

The Wilma reports that on the 23d instant, 150 miles north of Cape Mendocino, she spoke a ship supposed to be the J. B. Brown.

It is now twenty-three days since the J. B. Brown sailed from Nanaimo with a cargo of coal.

THE COLUMBIA'S CALL.

The passenger steamer Columbia which left here yesterday forenoon for Astoria and Portland, was reported in distress off Point Reyes, last evening.

The report came from Point Reyes telegraph station, and stated that though the Columbia was lying in the trough of the sea, making no heading and blowing her whistle continuously, she displayed no signals of distress.

Neither did the Columbia speak to the steamer Wilamette when that vessel passed her at 6 o'clock in the evening.

The tug Fearless, which was hastily dispatched late last night, came back to port this morning and reported that she could not find the Columbia.

It is now believed that the Columbia was only temporarily disabled, the machinery having broken down, and that the damage was repaired at sea.

It is believed the whistle was blown to attract the attention of the freight steamer George W. Elder, which belongs to the same line and left port yesterday evening.

The Elder was due to pass Point Reyes about the time that the Columbia was reported in distress.

WAR WHISPERS.

Mourning Carried to Many a Japanese Home.

YOKOHAMA, December 26.—The Japanese forces commanded by Field Marshal Oyama lost two officers and fifty-two men killed and had twelve officers and 356 men wounded in the recent engagement with Chinese troops commanded by General Sung, in the vicinity of New Chwang.

The Corean Government has declined to borrow 5,000,000 yen from the Japanese Government and the Government of Corea will issue notes to the amount of 15,000,000 yen.

COXEY AND BROWNE.

The 'Wealers Still Working for Their Cause.

CHICAGO, December 25.—Jacob S. Coxey arrived at the Auditorium today.

He will go to St. Louis to urge the adoption of his bill as a Populist measure, by the conference of Populist leaders, which convenes there this week.

Carl Browne has gone ahead to agitate the matter in advance of the conference.

He will present a long preamble, reciting the inadequacy of the present monetary system by resolution which reads:

"We are in favor of free and unlimited coinage of silver in the ratio of 18 to 1, and the Coxey non-interest-bearing bond plan."

HARDIN HELD.

The Express Messenger Is in the Woods Yet.

CHICAGO, December 26.—It is not improbable that Express Messenger C. K. Hardin, again under arrest, will be retried for the alleged theft of $65,000 from Wells, Fargo & Co., of which he was acquitted at Nashville last October.

Hardin was re-arrested on a charge of threatening to kill a domestic who refused to tell him his wife's address, but it was stated this charge was merely to hold the man, as the express company had obtained additional and convincing evidence against him.

Wells-Fargo officials, however, denied today that they had anything to do with the arrest.

THE BALANCE OF POWER.

Republicans May Defeat the Currency Bill.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—Among the few members of the House who were at the Capitol today the prevailing opinion seemed that the Republicans had it all in their power to pass or defeat the Currency bill.

The Democratic vote, it is said by one who has fully canvassed the situation, will be about evenly divided.

The Republicans are generally expected to vote against the measure.

Ended in a Deadlock.

NEW ORLEANS, December 26.—The jury in the bribery case against Councilman William J. Kane and Francis B. Thiffily, which has been locked up since Saturday, was called into court this morning and a mis-trial entered. The jury, it is said, stood eight for conviction and four for acquittal.

The Wreck Near Nashville.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., December 26.—Beyond bruises, no passengers were hurt in the wreck last night of the Louisville and Nashville passenger train near Brentwood. Engineer Shugar and Fireman Tetit, who were scalded, and Postal Clerk Starr, who had a rib broken, are doing well.

A BAD BREAK UP.

Two Passenger Trains Collide in Texas.

Many of the Travelers Are Very Much Hurt.

One of the Coaches Knocked Squarely in the Center.

WAXAHATCHIE, Tex., December 26.—The Katy south-bound and west-bound Houston and Texas Central trains collided at a crossing a mile north of this city last night.

The engineer of the "Katy" ran into the rear coach of the Houston and Texas Central, striking it about midway, tearing the seats up and scattering the coach fixtures about promiscously.

The injured are:

J. T. Edling, Omaha, side, arm and head bruised.

T. J. Hester, Corsicana, broken rib, bruised about the head.

George Clark, Sardis, hip hurt.

Mrs. Enos, Waxahatchie, thought to be fatally injured.

Lee Vance and wife of Mexia, both dangerously bruised, injured internally.

Taylor, cut on head.

W. F. Caron, Wallis, Tex., seriously injured about the head and hips.

E. B. Harold, Fort Worth, cut about head.

Miss Katie Burroughs, Waxahatchie, slightly bruised about head.

William Carkson, Corsicana, gash in head, badly injured.

Bob Mays, engineer, of Katy, both legs hurt.

Walter Elmor, Fort Worth, train boy, left arm out of place and left hip slightly injured.

M. V. Sharp, right side face and right thigh bruised.

J. H. Manson, Enis, Tex., brakeman, head and breast seriously injured.

Connally, Waxahatchie, slightly injured.

LIKE M'WHIRTER.

A Mysterious Murder at Lexington, Kentucky.

LEXINGTON, Ky., December 26.—Burley C. Logan, a member of the hardware firm of Logan & Higgins, and a prominent ex-Confederate, was mysteriously shot in the yard at the rear of his residence, between 6 and 7 o'clock this morning.

His family heard the shots and found him with a fatal wound in the back of his head.

A pistol was found by his side with four chambers empty, but the wounds seem impossible to have been self-inflicted.

COCKRAN AND CROKER.

The Great Row Creating a Good Deal of Interest.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—Representative Bourke Cockran will not attend the meeting of the Executive Committee of Tammany Hall next Saturday.

Being called by John C. Martin, immediately following the bitter personal arraignment of Cockran by ex-Chief Croker, it was regarded as a means to bring the two face to face.

Cockran will say nothing regarding Croker's statement.

COURT NOTES.

Matters Brought Up Before the Superior Judges.

Charles C. Schwebs has filed a supplemental cross-complaint in the suit for a divorce instituted against him by his wife, Mary Schwebs, who charged him with cruelty. Schwebs now declares that his wife left him on September 3, 1892, without any cause and he asks that he be granted a divorce on the ground of desertion.

County Clerk Crane this morning appointed D. A. Sinclair a deputy. Mr. Sinclair will also be a deputy under County Clerk-elect Jordan. Sinclair was an independent candidate for County Clerk at the late election.

Under Sheriff Harlow filed his bond in court this morning as a commissioner to sell the property involved in the suit of Daniel Meyer against Montgomery Howe and others. The suit was decided in favor of Meyer. Mr. Harlow's bondsmen are William Kohler and J. Lavorel.

I. G. Wickersham has appealed to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Superior Court denying him a new trial in his suit against James L. Crittenden and others.

Harry E. Boldan, Charles A. Sessions and W. W. Jacobs have been appointed by Judge Frick to appraise the estate of Rose Orton Keefe, deceased.

The estate of Edward Quinn, deceased, has been appraised at $1400 by Martinez Smith and C. T. Wood.

Genevive G. Clark has been appointed guardian of the persons and estates of John Folsom Clark and Anna Clark, minors.

Judge Ellsworth has appointed A. A. Moore to represent Rosa, James H. and Creighton Hamilton, minor heirs of the late J. H. Hamilton, in certain matters connected with the estate.

Judge Frick has selected John Young, W. F. Kroll and Charles Heidt to appraise the estate of George M. Francis, who died in Alameda a few days ago.

The second trial of Loren Fox's suit against the Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company was continued until February 27th.

The inventory and appraisement of the estates of Mary, Ethel and Bessie Bradford, minors, has been filed in court by the appraisers, John Fearn, M. T. Holcomb and A. M. Benham. They value the estate at $850.

Shot in Prison.

COLUMBUS, O., December 26.—J. C. Temple, a prison guard, shot and killed today Joseph Oday, a prisoner of Cleveland, who was in for forgery. Oday and two other prisoners assaulted Temple because he reported them for infraction of the rules.

SOME PRESENTS SANTA CLAUS GROVER WILL NOT DELIVER.

LEO'S LEVEE.

Officers of the Detroit Visit the Vatican.

A Kindly Welcome Extended by the Pope.

The Stars and Stripes Floating in the Palace Hall.

ROME, December 26.—The Pope at noon today, in the throne room of the Vatican, received the officers of the United States cruiser Detroit, which recently arrived at Naples with Vatican relics exhibited at the World's Fair.

The American officers were presented to Mgr. O'Connell, who expressed in their name, and in the name of President Cleveland, thanks for the papal participation in the Chicago Exposition.

His Holiness replied in terms of great affection and praised the progress, activity and liberty of the United States.

The audience lasted half an hour and at its conclusion all the officers went to Cardinal Rampolla, the Papal officer of State, and presented their compliments.

Later the officers dined at the American College.

The hall was decorated with the stars and stripes.

Among those present were: United States Ambassador Wayne Macveagh, H. R. Whitehouse, Secretary of the Legation; United States Naval Attache General Hardy and Rev. Dr. Riordan.

SEEN IN A HUMAN EYE.

A Chance to Detect the Murderer of Mrs. Shearman.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., December 26.—The arrest of George W. Depew, on suspicion of being the murderer of Mrs. Winslow Shearman and her daughter, Mrs. Clinton, has caused great excitement here.

One or two persons who saw him say that his appearance corresponds with the description of the image of the man seen in Mrs. Shearman's eye, as if standing in a stooping position.

The discussion over the possibility of identifying the murderer by an image left on the retina of the eye has been revived with interest here.

It is said the image was blurred by the removal of the eye from the socket.

Those removing it remember the image so well, they say, they could identify the man from the general outline.

Before the removal of the eye the image was sharply defined.

Even the wrinkles in the clothes were plainly seen by the aid of the microscope.

COHEN CAN GO.

He Turned Informer and Secured His Liberty.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—In the Superior Court this morning Judge Wallace instructed the jury to acquit Louis Cohen of the charge of perjury, growing out of the Baldwin Hotel registration frauds.

It was held that Cohen, as an informer against Steinberg, another culprit, was entitled to immunity under the Purity of Elections law.

Grave Robbers.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., December 26.—James R. Curry, ex-Sheriff of Johnson county, was buried a week ago. Today his body was found in an undertaking establishment in this city, undissected. Efforts will be made to prosecute the grave robbers.

A Military Governor.

ST. PETERSBURG, December 26.—Count Schouvaloff, late Minister at Berlin, has been appointed Military Governor of Warsaw, succeeding General Gourko, who resigned December 1st.

Death of Abram Van Fleet.

NEWARK, N. J., December 26.—Vice Chancellor Abram Van Fleet died suddenly of heart disease at midnight, aged 64 years.

RENEGADE REDS

Agent Day's Pursuit of the Missing Utes.

A Hard, Long Ride Across the Valley Trails.

The Indians Are Starving and Far From the Agency.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—The first information from Agent Day since the agreement of the Southern Ute Indians to return from the invaded lands in Utah to the reservation in Colorado is given in the following dispatch received today:

"DOLORES, Col., December 24.—Colonel Lawton, Interpreter Smith and myself arrived last night, having been six days and part of three nights in the saddle.

"We scouted the approaches to the Indian valley, crossing Dry valley from north to south and from Carlisle's ranch north to the Lisbon valley trail.

"We located fifteen lodges of renegade Indians and eleven Utes, there having been but thirteen lodges of Utes off the reserve in Utah.

"The supply expense of returning Governor West's mammoth invasion has been $39 70.

"However, the trip was made through mud and snow, and the entire tribe of Wininuches and their ponies are in a deplorable condition, and 110 miles from the agency.

"Wire me authority to ship supplies from Ignacio.

A thousand dollars will be ample.

"I reaffirm all I have written regarding affairs and re-assert the war and interior departments have been grossly misled."

FOR COURT COMMISSIONER.

Many Applicants Are Now Seeking the Office.

Attorney Fred Whitney's term of office as Court Commissioner will expire in the middle of January. Already there are a number of applicants out who are anxious to succeed him. The Superior Judges will make the appointment. The Judges have not consulted on the subject as yet. Mr. Whitney has twice been appointed Court Commissioner of this county. The Commissioner gets his salary in fees.

MANY APPLICANTS.

Young Attorneys Anxious to Assist the District Attorney.

District Attorney Snook will appoint two assistants in his office after the first of the year. He has received more than a score of applications for the positions, but he has not yet made his mind as to who he will appoint. There are a number of young lawyers who are anxious to assist Mr. Snook.

Prepared for the Cold Spell.

Tom Johnson entered the room of J. Cross in the Smith House yesterday and carried off two overcoats. He was arrested by Officer Quigley and this morning appeared in the Police Court in answer to a charge of burglary. The charge was reduced to petty larceny, to which Johnson agreed to plead guilty, and he was sentenced to spend the next six months in the City Prison.

Attorney for the Sheriff.

Sheriff-elect White will appoint E. A. Holman as his attorney when he takes his office. The position is worth about $75 a month. Mr. White's deputies have already been announced in THE TRIBUNE.

The Color Line Crusade.

ATLANTA, Ga., December 26.—The race troubles in Brooks county are over. The Valdosta Videttes have returned to their homes, and the mob has disappeared. Waverly Pike, for whose capture the mob was organized, is still at large.

It Will Be Frosty.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—Northern California: Fair; probably slightly warmer Thursday; continued severe frosts tonight.

HIS LIFE LOST.

Saloonkeeper Christ Is at the Morgue.

Coroner Evers Will Investigate the Tragedy.

Conflicting Tales as to How the End Was Brought About.

William Christ, proprietor of the saloon at the southeast corner of Fifteenth street and Telegraph avenue, is lying on a slab at the Morgue. The doctors say his death was caused by a complication of pneumonia and *mania potu*, while his friends believe that a Fitzsimmons blow which F. H. Fields, a gripman on the San Pablo avenue cable line, delivered on the dead man's jaw Thanksgiving night had considerable to do with the tragedy.

The accounts of the circumstance under which the blow was struck are conflicting. The dead man's friends state that while standing in front of the San Pablo avenue power house watching some carmen quarreling Fields walked up and felled the saloon man. The latter dropped to the ground unconscious, but recovered in a short time and went home. His jaw began to trouble him within a few days and it was found that it was fractured. He caught cold recently and was forced to take to his bed. Yesterday he became delirious and this morning at 8 o'clock died.

Fields' friends tell a radically different story. They claim that on the night in question Christ came to the power house in question half intoxicated, looking for trouble. He found it, for Fields punched him in the jaw.

The doctors state that the blow had little if anything to do with the man's death. They claim that he had been drinking hard and contracted pneumonia. A couple of days ago delirium tremens set in, and the double affliction was the cause of death.

To settle the matter beyond all controversy Coroner Evers will hold an inquest tomorrow night.

Fields, on hearing of the saloonkeeper's death this morning, surrendered himself to the police, but no charge was placed against him and he was allowed to go. He is a single man and resides at 1728 San Pablo avenue.

Christ was also a single man. He was a native of Germany and 38 years old. He lodged at Winter's Hotel.

SEXTON WELL TREATED.

He Is in the Best Room at the County Jail.

John E. Sexton, the ex-private detective of the Southern Pacific Company, who was indicted by the grand jury for forgery a few days ago, is enjoying his imprisonment in the County Jail. He has been assigned to the finest quarters in the prison, and he occupies the same cell as did such noted guests as the late Judge Terry, Mrs. Mary Martin and Colonel Cienfuegos. Sexton told the jail officials that he prefers to stay in the prison until his trial, because he can live cheaper there than he can on the outside. When the case comes to trial he will make a hard fight to secure his acquittal. He has already engaged Colonel Thomas F. Garrity, one of Oakland's leading attorneys, to defend him, and he may also be represented by Carroll Cook of San Francisco.

Miners on Strike.

MASSILLON, O., December 26.—The miners employed at the Anderson mines have declined to accept the rate of 60 cents a ton fixed by the Arbitration Committee and are idle today. It is thought that all the miners of the Massillon district will soon cease work.

The Wheat Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—Wheat, firm; May, 99; December, 92. Barley, dull; December, 86; May, 91¼.

CHICAGO, December 26.—Wheat, December, 54; May, 58⅝. Corn, December, 45¾; January, 45¾.

In Port.

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Unexpected News About the Missing Ships.

The J. B. Brown Sighted Far Out at Sea.

Nothing Serious Thought to Have Happened the Columbia.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—The bark Wilma, which arrived this morning, seventeen days from Nanaimo, brings cheering news to the owners of one of the long overdue sailing vessels.

The Wilma reports that on the 23d instant, 150 miles north of Cape Mendocino, she spoke a ship supposed to be the J. B. Brown.

It is now twenty-three days since the J. B. Brown sailed from Nanaimo with a cargo of coal.

THE COLUMBIA'S CALL.

The passenger steamer Columbia which left here yesterday forenoon for Astoria and Portland, was reported in distress off Point Reyes, last evening.

The report came from Point Reyes telegraph station, and stated that though the Columbia was lying in the trough of the sea, making no heading and blowing her whistle continuously, she displayed no signals of distress.

Neither did the Columbia speak to the steamer Wilamette when that vessel passed her at 6 o'clock in the evening.

The tug Fearless, which was hastily dispatched late last night, came back to port this morning and reported that she could not find the Columbia.

It is now believed that the Columbia was only temporarily disabled, the machinery having broken down, and that the damage was repaired at sea.

It is believed the whistle was blown to attract the attention of the freight steamer George W. Elder, which belongs to the same line and left port yesterday evening.

The Elder was due to pass Point Reyes about the time that the Columbia was reported in distress.

WAR WHISPERS.

Mourning Carried to Many a Japanese Home.

YOKOHAMA, December 26.—The Japanese forces commanded by Field Marshal Oyama lost two officers and fifty-two men killed and had twelve officers and 356 men wounded in the recent engagement with Chinese troops commanded by General Sung, in the vicinity of New Chwang.

The Corean Government has declined to borrow 5,000,000 yen from the Japanese Government and the Government of Corea will issue notes to the amount of 15,000,000 yen.

COXEY AND BROWNE.

The 'Wealers Still Working for Their Cause.

CHICAGO, December 25.—Jacob S. Coxey arrived at the Auditorium today.

He will go to St. Louis to urge the adoption of his bill as a Populist measure, by the conference of Populist leaders, which convenes there this week.

Carl Browne has gone ahead to agitate the matter in advance of the conference.

He will present a long preamble, reciting the inadequacy of the present monetary system by resolution which reads:

"We are in favor of free and unlimited coinage of silver in the ratio of 18 to 1, and the Coxey non-interest-bearing bond plan."

HARDIN HELD.

The Express Messenger Is in the Woods Yet.

CHICAGO, December 26.—It is not improbable that Express Messenger C. K. Hardin, again under arrest, will be retried for the alleged theft of $35,000 from Wells, Fargo & Co., of which he was acquitted at Nashville last October.

Hardin was re-arrested on a charge of threatening to kill a domestic who refused to tell him his wife's address, but it was stated this charge was merely to hold the man, as the express company had obtained additional and convincing evidence against him.

Wells-Fargo officials, however, denied today that they had anything to do with the arrest.

THE BALANCE OF POWER.

Republicans May Defeat the Currency Bill.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—Among the few members of the House who were at the Capitol today the prevailing opinion seemed that the Republicans had it all in their power to pass or defeat the Currency bill.

The Democratic vote, it is said by one who has fully canvassed the situation, will be about evenly divided.

The Republicans are generally expected to vote against the measure.

Ended in a Deadlock.

NEW ORLEANS, December 26.—The jury in the bribery case against Councilman William J. Kane and Francis B. Thiffily, which has been locked up since Saturday, was called into court this morning and a mis-trial entered. The jury, it is said, stood eight for conviction and four for acquittal.

The Wreck Near Nashville.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., December 26.—Beyond bruises, no passengers were hurt in the wreck last night of the Louisville and Nashville passenger train near Brentwood. Engineer Shugar and Fireman Petit, who were scalded, and Postal Clerk Starr, who had a rib broken, are doing well.

A BAD BREAK UP.

Two Passenger Trains Collide in Texas.

Many of the Travelers Are Very Much Hurt.

One of the Coaches Knocked Squarely in the Center.

WAXAHATCHIE, Tex., December 26.—The Katy south-bound and west-bound Houston and Texas Central trains collided at a crossing a mile north of this city last night.

The engineer of the "Katy" ran into the rear coach of the Houston and Texas Central, striking it about midway, tearing the seats up and scattering the coach fixtures about promiscously.

The injured are:

J. T. Edling, Omaha, side, arm and head bruised.

T. J. Hester, Corsicana, broken rib, bruised about the head.

George Clark, Sardis, hip hurt.

Mrs. Enos, Waxahatchie, thought to be fatally injured.

Lee Vance and wife of Mexia, both dangerously bruised, injured internally.

Taylor, cut on head.

W. F. Caron, Waller, Tex., seriously injured about the head and hips.

E. B. Harold, Fort Worth, cut about head.

Miss Katie Burroughs, Waxahatchie, slightly bruised about head.

William Carkson, Corsicana, gash in head, badly injured.

Bob Mays, engineer, of Katy, both legs hurt.

Walter Elmer, Fort Worth, train boy, left arm out of place and left hip slightly injured.

M. V. Sharp, right side face and right thigh bruised.

J. H. Manson, Enis, Tex., brakeman, head and breast seriously injured.

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LIKE M'WHIRTER.

A Mysterious Murder at Lexington, Kentucky.

LEXINGTON, Ky., December 26.—Dudley C. Logan, a member of the hardware firm of Logan & Higgins, and a prominent ex-Confederate, was mysteriously shot in the yard at the rear of his residence, between 6 and 7 o'clock this morning.

His family heard the shots and found him with a fatal wound in the back of his head.

A pistol was found by his side with four chambers empty, but the wounds seem impossible to have been self-inflicted.

COCKRAN AND CROKER.

The Great Row Creating a Good Deal of Interest.

WASHINGTON, December 25.—Representative Bourke Cockran will not attend the meeting of the Executive Committee of Tammany Hall next Saturday.

Being called by John G. Martin, immediately following the bitter personal arraignment of Cockran by ex-Chief Croker, it was regarded as a means to bring the two face to face.

Cockran will say nothing regarding Croker's statement.

COURT NOTES.

Matters Brought Up Before the Superior Judges.

Charles C. Schwebs has filed a supplemental cross-complaint in the suit for a divorce instituted against him by his wife, Mary Schwebs, who charged him with cruelty. Schwebs now declares that his wife left him on September 3, 1892, without any cause and he asks that he be granted a divorce on the ground of desertion.

County Clerk Crane this morning appointed D. A. Sinclair a deputy. Mr. Sinclair will also be a deputy under County Clerk-elect Jordan. Sinclair was an independent candidate for County Clerk at the late election.

Under Sheriff Harlow filed his bond in court this morning as a commissioner to sell the property involved in the suit of Daniel Meyer against Montgomery Howe and others. The suit was decided in favor of Meyer. Mr. Harlow's bondsmen are William Kohler and J. Lavorel.

I. G. Wickersham has appealed to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Superior Court denying him a new trial in his suit against James L. Crittenden and others.

Harry B. Belden, Charles A. Sessions and W. W. Jacobs have been appointed by Judge Frick to appraise the estate of Rose Orton Keefe, deceased.

The estate of Edward Quinn, deceased, has been appraised at $1400 by Martinet Smith and C. T. Wood.

Genevive G. Clark has been appointed guardian of the persons and estates of John Folsom Clark and Anna Clark, minors.

Judge Ellsworth has appointed A. A. Moore to represent Rosa, James H. and Creighton Hamilton, minor heirs of the late J. H. Hamilton, in certain matters connected with the estate.

Judge Frick has selected John Young, W. F. Kroll and Charles Heidt to appraise the estate of George M. Francis, who died in Alameda a few days ago.

The second trial of Loren Fox's suit against the Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company was continued until February 27th.

The inventory and appraisement of the estates of Mary, Ethel and Bessie Bradford, minors, has been filed in court by the appraisers, John Fearn, M. T. Holcomb and A. M. Benham. They value the estate at $850.

Shot in Prison.

COLUMBUS, O., December 26.—J. C. Temple, a prison guard, shot and killed today Joseph Oday, a prisoner of Cleveland, who was in for forgery. Oday and two other prisoners assaulted Temple because he reported them for infraction of the rules.

SOME PRESENTS SANTA CLAUS GROVER WILL NOT DELIVER.

LEO'S LEVEE.

Officers of the Detroit Visit the Vatican.

A Kindly Welcome Extended by the Pope.

The Stars and Stripes Floating in the Palace Hall.

ROME, December 26.—The Pope at noon today, in the throne room of the Vatican, received the officers of the United States cruiser Detroit, which recently arrived at Naples with Vatican relics exhibited at the World's Fair.

The American officers were presented to Mgr. O'Connell, who expressed in their name, and in the name of President Cleveland, thanks for the papal participation in the Chicago Exposition.

His Holiness replied in terms of great affection and praised the progress, activity and liberty of the United States.

The audience lasted half an hour and at its conclusion all the officers went to Cardinal Rampolla, the Papal officer of State, and presented their compliments.

Later the officers dined at the American College.

The hall was decorated with the stars and stripes.

Among those present were: United States Ambassador Wayne Macveagh, H. K. Whitehouse, Secretary of the Legation; United States Naval Attache General Hardy and Rev. Dr. Riordan.

SEEN IN A HUMAN EYE.

A Chance to Detect the Murderer of Mrs. Shearman.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., December 26.—The arrest of George W. Depew, on suspicion of being the murderer of Mrs. Winslow Shearman and her daughter, Mrs. Clinton, has caused great excitement here.

One or two persons who saw him say that his appearance corresponds with the description of the image of the man seen in Mrs. Shearman's eye, as if standing in a stooping position.

The discussion over the possibility of identifying the murderer by an image left on the retina of the eye has been revived with interest here.

It is said the image was blurred by the removal of the eye from the socket.

Those removing it remember the image so well, they say, they could identify the man from the general outline.

Before the removal of the eye the image was sharply defined.

Even the wrinkles in the clothes were plainly seen by the aid of the microscope.

COHEN CAN GO.

He Turned Informer and Secured His Liberty.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—In the Superior Court this morning Judge Wallace instructed the jury to acquit Louis Cohen of the charge of perjury, growing out of the Baldwin Hotel registration frauds.

It was held that Cohen, as an informer against Steinberg, another culprit, was entitled to immunity under the Purity of Elections law.

Grave Robbers.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., December 26.—James R. Curry, ex-Sheriff of Johnson county, was buried a week ago. Today his body was found in an undertaking establishment in this city, undissected. Efforts will be made to prosecute the grave robbers.

A Military Governor.

ST. PETERSBURG, December 26.—Count Schouvaloff, late Minister at Berlin, has been appointed Military Governor of Warsaw, succeeding General Gourko, who resigned December 1st.

Death of Abram Van Fleet.

NEWARK, N. J., December 26.—Vice Chancellor Abram Van Fleet died suddenly of heart disease at midnight, aged 64 years.

RENEGADE REDS

Agent Day's Pursuit of the Missing Utes.

A Hard, Long Ride Across the Valley Trails.

The Indians Are Starving and Far From the Agency.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—The first information from Agent Day since the agreement of the Southern Ute Indians to return from the invaded lands in Utah to the reservation in Colorado is given in the following dispatch received today:

"DOLORES, Col., December 24.—Colonel Lawton, Interpreter Smith and myself arrived last night, having been six days and part of three nights in the saddle.

"We scouted the approaches to the Indian valley, crossing Dry valley from north to south and from Carlisle's ranch north to the Lisbon valley trail.

"We located fifteen lodges of renegade Indians and eleven Utes, there having been but thirteen lodges of Utes off the reserve in Utah.

"The supply expense of returning Governor West's mammoth invasion has been $59 70.

"However, the trip was made through mud and snow, and the entire tribe of Winnuches and their ponies are in a deplorable condition, and 110 miles from the agency.

"Wire me authority to ship supplies from Ignacio.

A thousand dollars will be ample.

"I reaffirm all I have written regarding affairs and re-assert the war and interior departments have been grossly misled."

FOR COURT COMMISSIONER.

Many Applicants Are Now Seeking the Office.

Attorney Fred Whitney's term of office as Court Commissioner will expire in the middle of January. Already there are a number of applicants out who are anxious to succeed him. The Superior Judges will make the appointment. The Judges have not consulted on the subject as yet. Mr. Whitney has twice been appointed Court Commissioner of this county. The Commissioner gets his salary in fees.

MANY APPLICANTS.

Young Attorneys Anxious to Assist the District Attorney.

District Attorney Snook will appoint two assistants in his office after the first of the year. He has received more than a score of applications for the positions, but he has not yet made his mind as to who he will appoint. There are a number of young lawyers who are anxious to assist Mr. Snook.

Prepared for the Cold Spell.

Tom Johnson entered the room of J. Cross in the Smith House yesterday and carried off two overcoats. He was arrested by Officer Quigley and this morning appeared in the Police Court in answer to a charge of burglary. The charge was reduced to petty larceny, to which Johnson agreed to plead guilty, and he was sentenced to spend the next six months in the City Prison.

Attorney for the Sheriff.

Sheriff-elect White will appoint E. A. Holman as his attorney when he takes his office. The position is worth about $75 a month. Mr. White's deputies have already been announced in THE TRIBUNE.

The Color Line Crusade.

ATLANTA, Ga., December 26.—The race troubles in Brooks county are over. The Valdosta Videttes have returned to their homes, and the mob has disappeared. Waverly Pike, for whose capture the mob was organized, is still at large.

It Will Be Frosty.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—Northern California: Fair; probably slightly warmer Thursday; continued severe frosts tonight.

HIS LIFE LOST.

Saloonkeeper Christ Is at the Morgue.

Coroner Evers Will Investigate the Tragedy.

Conflicting Tales as to How the End Was Brought About.

William Christ, proprietor of the saloon at the southeast corner of Fifteenth street and Telegraph avenue, is lying on a slab at the Morgue. The doctors say his death was caused by a complication of pneumonia and *mania potu*, while his friends believe that a Fitzsimmons blow which F. H. Fields, a gripman on the San Pablo avenue cable line, delivered on the dead man's jaw Thanksgiving night had considerable to do with the tragedy.

The accounts of the circumstance under which the blow was struck are conflicting. The dead man's friends state that while standing in front of the San Pablo avenue power house watching some carmen quarreling Fields walked up and felled the saloon man. The latter dropped to the ground unconscious, but recovered in a short time and went home. His jaw began to trouble him within a few days and it was found that it was fractured. He caught cold recently and was forced to take to his bed. Yesterday he became delirious and this morning at 8 o'clock died.

Fields' friends tell a radically different story. They claim that on the night in question Christ came to the power house in question half intoxicated, looking for trouble. He found it, for Fields punched him in the jaw.

The doctors state that the blow had little if anything to do with the man's death. They claim that he had been drinking hard and contracted pneumonia. A couple of days ago delirium tremens set in, and the double affliction was the cause of death.

To settle the matter beyond on all controversy Coroner Evers will hold an inquest tomorrow night.

Fields, on hearing of the saloonkeeper's death this morning, surrendered himself to the police, but no charge was placed against him and he was allowed to go. He is a single man and resides at 1725 San Pablo avenue.

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John E. Sexton, the ex-private detective of the Southern Pacific Company, who was indicted by the grand jury for forgery a few days ago, is enjoying his imprisonment in the County Jail. He has been assigned to the finest quarters in the prison, and he occupies the same cell as did such noted guests as the late Judge Terry, Mrs. Mary Martin and Colonel Cienfuegos. Sexton told the jail officials that he prefers to stay in the prison until his trial, because he can live cheaper there than he can on the outside. When the case comes to trial he will make a hard fight to secure his acquittal. He has already engaged Colonel Thomas F. Garrity, one of Oakland's leading attorneys, to defend him, and he may also be represented by Carroll Cook of San Francisco.

Miners on Strike.

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JUST WHAT WAS WANTED.

A Useful Present Made to Rev. Frank Hinckley.

West Oakland, December 26, 1894.

Editor Tribune—Sir: The undersigned was the recipient of a gift of $75 in gold on Christmas eve, just after he had made the remark that the entertainment was done and that he wished all the people of West Oakland and their friends a Merry Christmas. George Collyer, the well known post-office clerk, suddenly came to the platform and approaching me handed me a box with the request that I open it and read the note before the audience was dismissed. The note read as follows:

"*To Mr. Frank E. Hinckley*: In appreciation of your ceaseless labor for and constant devotion to the cause of Christ and his gospel in West Oakland, and knowing your desire to possess a certain library, we, your Oakland friends, take great pleasure in presenting you the means with which to procure it."

My friends did not know that this gift of $75 can purchase for me at this time a library in the East which numbers approximately 200 volumes of the choicest works in theology and the history of Christianity. This library belongs in part to a Mr. Edwin Waldo, with whom I was associated in work at Hull House in Chicago. The young man graduated from Yale with the finest promise of prominence in Christian Sociology, but was so burdened with work of relief for the poor in Chicago last winter that his nervous system was broken and he is now almost hopelessly imbecile. Mr. Waldo continuing firm in his desire to do all men good and knowing that he cannot use this library himself, has desired that I should have it. The remainder of the library is to be purchased of Professor Zeublin of the University of Chicago. After graduating from the Northwestern University at Evanston in 1887, Professor Zeublin studied at the University of Leipsic and at that time expected to become a preacher. Having turned his attention of late years to the work of university extension he can dispense with a part of his ministerial library, and he has been so good as to give me the first opportunity of inspection and purchase. It will thus be seen that the gift of $75 at this time means a receipt of books whose closest market value when purchased as a lot would amount to more than $250.

I cannot say how I acted or what I said when I received the gift. I only know that all through the following night, Mr. Editor, your West Oakland minister dreamed of books and planned more in a few hours for this worthy part of your city than he had been able to plan in several days past. Usually the minister sleeps well, but after this occasion his happiness and Santa Claus' goodness gave him several waking hours and many stirring purposes.

Frank E. Hinckley.

A BRUTAL CRIME.

Ed Ranlett Determined to Kill His Brother.

Ed Ranlett, the butcher, who shot his brother, F. H. Ranlett, at Rodeo Saturday night, has been arrested by Constable Scanlan of Contra Costa county and lodged in jail at Martinez.

The dead man was a deputy sheriff. Saturday afternoon he arrested a man at Pinole for mayhem. His brother was present when the arrest was made and protested strongly. The officer brought the prisoner to Rodeo and was followed by his brother. On reaching Rodeo Ed Ranlett made an attempt to rescue his brother's prisoner. He was warned that unless he desisted he would also be locked up. The fellow immediately drew a pistol and shot his brother through the stomach. The wound was fatal, and the dying man fell to the ground. As he struggled in his dying agony his unnatural brother placed the pistol to his neck and fired again.

Both men are well known throughout Alameda and Contra Costa counties.

A SHOW PLACE GONE.

The Cliff House, San Francisco, Is in Ashes.

San Francisco's celebrated land mark, the Cliff House, was completely destroyed by fire last night at 8 o'clock. The fire broke out in a defective flue near the parlor. It was not discovered until after the parlor was filled with smoke and the flames had eaten their way up between the walls of the partition. Several fire extinguishers and reels of hose connecting with the reservoir on Sutro Heights were brought into requisition, but without staying the progress of the flames.

Only a few of the pictures in the resort were saved. One of the rescued ones was an immense photograph of the original Pioneers' Society, comprising over 500 individuals.

The Cliff House was owned by Mayor-elect Sutro. It was built in 1858. It was San Francisco's most famous resort. No traveler ever visited San Francisco without paying a visit to it. In it dined the most celebrated people of every country who have visited the metropolis.

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Did Not Steal the Wheel.

Charles Atkinson, who was arrested Monday on a charge of stealing a bicycle from George Faulkner, was discharged on examination in the Police Court this afternoon, as he proved he had no criminal intent in attempting to pawn the wheel.

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The Brooks Divorce

In a recent issue of The Tribune it was stated that J. M. Brooks had instituted divorce proceedings against Emma G. Brooks. This was an error. The divorce proceedings were begun by Mrs. Brooks against her husband.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	AGE.
Eugene Francis Garrison	Oakland	22
Mary Brophy	Oakland	20
Manuel Pereira Cardoza	Tassajara	16
Maria Joaquina da Silva	Pleasanton	16

Tom Bailey Arrested.

Tom Bailey was arrested this afternoon by Officer Carson on a warrant from Tracy, where Bailey is alleged to have defrauded a hotel keeper out of $2.

Dow's House Afire.

An alarm was turned in at 1:15 o'clock this afternoon for a rag fire in Councilman Dow's residence on Twenty-third avenue. The damage was slight.

Federal Court After Sexton.

The forgery against J. E. Sexton has been stricken from the Police Court calendar, as his offenses have passed into the hands of the Federal Court.

Christmas Gifts.

Among our hand-painted novelties are to be found glove boxes, handkerchief boxes, spectacle boxes, razor boxes, cuff and collar boxes, calendars, writing pads, blotters, card holders. Prices range from 25c to $2.50. Kenney & Wells' art sale, 1110 Broadway.

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DONNELLY—In Fruit Vale, December 25, 1894, Alice A., beloved wife of the late Henry Donnelly, a native of Pennsylvania, aged 60 years.

☞ The funeral will take place TOMORROW (Thursday), at 9 o'clock A. M., from her late residence, No. 1520 East Fourteenth street. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend the solemn requiem mass at St. Francis de Sales Church, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

SCHOLL—In this city, December 25, 1894, Therese, wife of C. F. Scholl and mother of Mrs. Von der Horst, a native of Germany, aged 71 years, 11 months and 27 days.

☞ Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral TOMORROW (Thursday,) at 1:30 o'clock P. M., from her late residence, 931 Poplar street. Interment Mountain View Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

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AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance Fixing the Rates and Compensation for the Sale, Rental or Distribution of Water by the Contra Costa Water Company, a Corporation, in the County of Alameda, Other Than in Any City or Town Therein.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE county of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Whereas, a petition has been heretofore presented to this board to regulate and control the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein, and the said petition, together with a notice of the time and place of hearing thereof, has been published and posted for the time and in the manner required by law, and at the time fixed for said hearing, and subsequent times to which the said hearing was regularly postponed. All persons interested in the matters of said petition, who desired to be heard have been heard by this board, and this board now having duly considered all the statements, facts and evidence presented to it, and this board, having from its estimates made therefrom, determined and concluded that the rates hereinafter designated will be equal, reasonable and just, both to the rate payers and to the said corporation, and within the rule and limits prescribed by law. The following monthly maximum rates and compensation are hereby fixed and established, to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution by it of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein.

For houses or tenements occupied by a single family, and public or private buildings (not including water for baths, water-closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, tenement or building), covering a ground surface of

Square Feet.	One Story.	Two Stories.	Three Stories and Upwards.
1 to 100	$1 55	$ 6[illegible]	$1 75
101 " 500	5[illegible]	[illegible]	95
501 " 600	65	[illegible]	1 10
601 " 700	75	1 1[illegible]	[illegible]
701 " 800	85	1 2[illegible]	1 15
801 " [illegible]	95	1 10	1 60
901 " 1000	1 05	[illegible]	1 80
1001 " 1200	1 10	[illegible]	1 90
1201 " 1400	1 15	1 7[illegible]	2 00
1401 " 1600	1 20	[illegible]	2 10
1601 " 1800	1 25	[illegible]	2 20
1801 " 2000	1 30	[illegible]	2 25
2001 " 2200	1 3[illegible]	2 00	2 [illegible]
2201 " 2400	1 40	2 10	2 [illegible]
2401 " 2600	1 45	[illegible]	[illegible]
2601 " 2800	1 50	[illegible]	2 60
2801 " 3000	[illegible]	[illegible]	2 70
3001 " 3200	1 6[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3201 " 3400	1 65	[illegible]	2 85
3401 " 3600	1 70	[illegible]	[illegible]
3601 " 3800	1 75	2 6[illegible]	[illegible]
3801 " 4000	1 80	2 70	3 15

For houses, tenements or buildings of one story, covering a ground area of more than 4000 square feet five (5) cents for each additional 200 square feet or fractional part thereof shall be added, and for two stories fifty per cent., and for three stories and upwards seventy-five per cent shall be further added to the rate for one story.

Where a single house, dwelling or tenement is occupied by more than one family, in addition to the foregoing rates one-half of said rates for each additional family.

Hotels, taverns and boarding houses (not including water for baths, water closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house or building) shall be charged for each guest, boarder and lodger within the same, in addition to the rates above specified, $0 10.

For each day boarder, $0 05.

Lodging houses, buildings containing business offices, and boarding schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each person occupying, lodging, living or staying within the same, $0 05.

Public and private day schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each pupil, $0 01.

Stores, offices, banks, warehouses, blacksmith shops, churches, halls and business premises, taking water only for ordinary purposes, at the rates specified.

For saloons, places of amusement, beer halls, groceries, restaurants, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, confectioneries, photograph galleries, printing offices, green houses, horse troughs, soda fountains, engine houses, according to the estimated quantity of water used, at from $0 75 to $7 50 or, in case of disagreement in estimates, at meter rates, as herein.

For slaughter houses, breweries, bottling establishments, railroads, steam engines, towers, motors, elevators, mills, manufactories, jails, laundries, or for other purposes not specially rated in this schedule, and requiring a large quantity of water, according to the quantity of water used, at meter rates.

For water closet for use in one private dwelling, $1 00.

Each additional water closet for use in one private dwelling, $0 [illegible].

For each water closet for use of hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, saloons, public houses, public buildings, or public premises, or in a position accessible to or used by other than one private family, $0 75.

For each urinal accessible to other than one private family, $0 25.

Each urinal for use in one private dwelling, $0 10.

For each bath tub in private dwelling, $0 40.

For each bathtub in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools or accessible to other than one private family, $0 75.

Each bathtub in bathing establishments and barber shops, $1 25.

Swimming baths at meter rates.

Irrigation of lawns, gardens and grounds, five mills (½ cent) per square yard per month, payable every month in the year; *provided*, that there shall be no charge for irrigation less than $2 40 per year.

For water used for washing sidewalks, windows, fronts of buildings and stores, for the first twenty-five lineal front feet facing the street, one cent per lineal foot; for each additional lineal front foot, one-half a cent. Hose used for these purposes shall not have a nozzle larger than ⅜ of an inch in diameter of orifice.

For horse kept in private stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $1 00.

Each horse kept in livery stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 [illegible].

Each car, stage, omnibus, saddle and draught horse and cattle, $0 25.

Provided, that in no case shall any stable be charged less than $0 15.

Each cow, $0 15.

For water to make mortar, for each one thousand brick used, $0 15.

For water to slack each barrel of lime used for any purpose other than for laying bricks, $0 25.

For water to moisten each barrel of cement used, $0 05.

For water used to settle earth when replacing it in a ditch or excavation, for each cubic yard of earth, $0 01.

Bakeries, according to the monthly use of flour, for each twenty-five barrels or fractional part thereof, $1 00.

For water furnished for any and all other purposes not otherwise embraced in this schedule shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

Forty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2 50.

Thirty-five cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $25 00.

Thirty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $70 00.

For the water used for sprinkling streets and roads by the county of Alameda, its officers, employes or those contracting with the county for the work of sprinkling said streets and roads, or used by persons authorized by the county or its officers, shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons, the quantity so used to be determined by meters or by an accurate monthly account to be kept by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district, of the number of casks or sprinkling wagon loads used, of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon loads used, and of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, correct copies of said accounts to be furnished by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district monthly, at the close of each calendar month, to the Contra Costa Water Company.

Water used by the county of Alameda, its officers or employes, or persons authorized by the county or its officers, for flushing and cleaning sewers shall be supplied through meters only, and the quantity of water so used shall be charged to and paid for by the county, monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons. The rate of compensation to be charged and collected monthly from the county of Alameda for water supplied to, and by, and through the hydrants for fire purposes, and for the protection against fire thus afforded, and not including water used or taken by, through or from fire hydrants for any other purposes, shall be three dollars per month for each fire hydrant.

Section 2. The monthly rates due and collectable under this ordinance shall be payable monthly in advance, except the rates for water furnished by meter or for public uses, which shall be payable at the end of each calendar month; and all water rates, except the rates for water for public use, if not paid within fifteen days after becoming due, shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Section 3. The Contra Costa Water Company shall, by authorized agents, make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for water, or upon a consumers request for a readjustment of rates, and shall designate rates strictly in accordance with those herein established.

Said agents shall have free access, during reasonable hours, to all premises supplied with water, for the purpose of ascertaining and designating rates; and should it appear from such examination that any consumer is excessively using or is wasting water, said consumer shall be supplied at meter rate as herein.

Section 4. This ordinance fixes the maximum water rates beyond which the said Contra Costa Water Company shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of April, A. D., 1895.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, December 24, 1894, by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Bailey, Martin, Johnston and Pelouze.

Noes—None.

Absent, Chairman Morgan.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman pro tem of Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, State of California.

Attest: JAMES E. CRANE,
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SEVENTH STREET GATES.

Hundreds of Protestants to the Crossing Ordinances.

Tonight the City Council meets again as a Committee of the Whole to give the protestants to the gate ordinances another hearing. The meeting is to be held in response to a request made by the representatives of the railroad company last Wednesday night, stating that they would like to have an opportunity allowed to Messrs. Towne and Curtis, both of whom were then at El Paso, to explain to the Council what would be necessary to be done to put such gate ordinances in operation should they be adopted. In the meantime people owning property and residing in the territory south of Seventh street are signing a protest against the gates, and many hundreds of names have been attached to them already.

JUST WHAT WAS WANTED.

A Useful Present Made to Rev. Frank Hinckley.

WEST OAKLAND, December 26, 1894.

Editor Tribune—SIR: The undersigned was the recipient of a gift of $75 in gold on Christmas eve, just after he had made the remark that the entertainment was done and that he wished all the people of West Oakland and their friends a Merry Christmas. George Collyer, the well known post-office clerk, suddenly came to the platform and approaching me handed me a box with the request that I open it and read the note before the audience was dismissed. The note read as follows:

"*To Mr. Frank E. Hinckley*: In appreciation of your ceaseless labor for and constant devotion to the cause of Christ and his gospel in West Oakland, and knowing your desire to possess a certain library, we, your Oakland friends, take great pleasure in presenting you the means with which to procure it."

My friends did not know that this gift of $75 can purchase for me at this time a library in the East which numbers approximately 200 volumes of the choicest works in theology and the history of Christianity. This library belongs in part to a Mr. Edwin Waldo, with whom I was associated in work at Hull House in Chicago. The young man graduated from Yale with the finest promise of prominence in Christian Sociology, but was so burdened with work of relief for the poor in Chicago last winter that his nervous system was broken and he is now almost hopelessly imbecile. Mr. Waldo continuing firm in his desire to do all men good and knowing that he cannot use this library himself, has desired that I should have it. The remainder of the library is to be purchased of Professor Zueblin of the University of Chicago. After graduating from the Northwestern University at Evanston in 1887, Professor Zueblin studied at the University of Leipsic and at that time expected to become a preacher. Having turned his attention of late years to the work of university extension he can dispense with a part of his ministerial library, and he has been so good as to give me the first opportunity of inspection and purchase. It will thus be seen that the gift of $75 at this time means a receipt of books whose closest market value when purchased as a lot would amount to more than $250.

I cannot say how I acted or what I said when I received the gift. I only know that all through the following night, Mr. Editor, your West Oakland minister dreamed of books and planned more in a few hours for this worthy part of your city than he had been able to plan in several days past. Usually the minister sleeps well, but after this occasion his happiness and Santa Claus' goodness gave him several waking hours and many stirring purposes.

FRANK E. HINCKLEY.

A BRUTAL CRIME.

Ed Ranlett Determined to Kill His Brother.

Ed Ranlett, the butcher, who shot his brother, F. H. Ranlett, at Rodeo Saturday night, has been arrested by Constable Scanlan of Contra Costa county and lodged in jail at Martinez.

The dead man was a deputy sheriff. Saturday afternoon he arrested a man at Pinole for mayhem. His brother was present when the arrest was made and protested strongly. The officer brought the prisoner to Rodeo and was followed by his brother. On reaching Rodeo Ed Ranlett made an attempt to rescue his brother's prisoner. He was warned that unless he desisted he would also be locked up. The fellow immediately drew a pistol and shot his brother through the stomach. The wound was fatal, and the dying man fell to the ground. As he struggled in his dying agony his unnatural brother placed the pistol to his neck and fired again.

Both men are well known throughout Alameda and Contra Costa counties.

A SHOW PLACE GONE.

The Cliff House, San Francisco, Is in Ashes.

San Francisco's celebrated landmark, the Cliff House, was completely destroyed by fire last night at 8 o'clock. The fire broke out in a defective flue near the parlor. It was not discovered until after the parlor was filled with smoke and the flames had eaten their way up between the walls of the partition. Several fire extinguishers and reels of hose connecting with the reservoir on Sutro Heights were brought into requisition, but without staying the progress of the flames.

Only a few of the pictures in the resort were saved. One of the rescued ones was an immense photograph of the original Pioneers' Society, comprising over 500 individuals.

The Cliff House was owned by Mayor-elect Sutro. It was built in 1858. It was San Francisco's most famous resort. No traveler ever visited San Francisco without paying a visit to it. In it dined the most celebrated people of every country who have visited the metropolis.

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Did Not Steal the Wheel.

Charles Atkinson, who was arrested Monday on a charge of stealing a bicycle from George Faulkner, was discharged on examination in the Police Court this afternoon, as he proved he had no criminal intent in attempting to pawn the wheel.

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The Brooks Divorce

In a recent issue of THE TRIBUNE it was stated that J. M. Brooks had instituted divorce proceedings against Emma G. Brooks. This was an error. The divorce proceedings were begun by Mrs. Brooks against her husband.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	AGE.
Eugene Francis Garrison, Oakland		22
Mary Brophy, Oakland		20
Manuel Pereira Cardoza, Tassajara		46
Maria Josquina da Silva, Pleasanton		36

Tom Bailey Arrested.

Tom Bailey was arrested this afternoon by Officer Carson on a warrant from Tracy, where Bailey is alleged to have defrauded a hotel keeper out of $2.

Dow's House Afire.

An alarm was turned in at 1:45 o'clock this afternoon for a rag fire in Councilman Dow's residence on Twenty-third avenue. The damage was slight.

Federal Court After Sexton.

The forgery against J. E. Sexton has been stricken from the Police Court calendar, as his offenses have passed into the hands of the Federal Court.

Christmas Gifts.

Among our hand-painted novelties are to be found glove boxes, handkerchief boxes, spectacle boxes, razor boxes, cuff and collar boxes, calendars, writing pads, blotters, card holders. Prices range from 25c to $2.50. Kenney & Wells' art sale, 1110 Broadway.

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☞ The funeral will take place TOMORROW (Thursday), at 9 o'clock A. M., from her late residence, No. 1520 East Fourteenth street. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend the solemn requiem mass at St. Francis de Sales Church, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

SCHOLL—In this city, December 25, 1894, Therese, wife of C. F. Scholl and mother of Mrs. Von der Horst, a native of Germany, aged 71 years, 11 months and 27 days.

☞ Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral TOMORROW (Thursday,) at 1:30 o'clock P. M., from her late residence, 931 Poplar street. Interment Mountain View Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

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AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance Fixing the Rates and Compensation for the Sale, Rental or Distribution of Water by the Contra Costa Water Company, a Corporation, in the County of Alameda, Other Than in Any City or Town Therein.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE county of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Whereas, a petition has been heretofore presented to this board to regulate and control the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein, and the said petition, together with a notice of the time and place of hearing thereof, has been published and posted for the time and in the manner required by law, and at the time fixed for said hearing, and subsequent times to which the said hearing was regularly postponed. All persons interested in the matters of said petition, who desired to be heard have been heard by this board, and this board now having duly considered all the statements, facts and evidence presented to it, and this board, having from its estimates made therefrom, determined and concluded that the rates hereinafter designated will be equal, reasonable and just, both to the rate payers and to the said corporation, and within the rule and limits prescribed by law. The following monthly maximum rates and compensation are hereby fixed and established, to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution by it of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein.

For houses or tenements occupied by a single family, and public or private buildings (not including water for baths, water-closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, tenement or building), covering a ground surface of

Square Feet.	One Story.	Two Stories.	Three Stories and Upwards.
1 to 400	$ 45	$ 65	$ 75
401 " 500	55	8[illegible]	95
501 " 600	65	95	1 10
601 " 700	75	1 13	1 30
701 " 800	85	1 27	1 45
801 " 900	95	1 41	1 65
901 " 1000	1 05	1 [illegible]	1 80
1001 " 1200	1 10	1 [illegible]	1 90
1201 " 1400	1 15	1 7[illegible]	2 00
1401 " 1600	1 20	1 80	2 10
1601 " 1800	1 25	1 8[illegible]	2 20
1801 " 2000	1 30	1 95	2 25
2001 " 2200	1 35	2 00	2 35
2201 " 2400	1 40	2 10	2 45
2401 " 2600	1 45	2 15	2 50
2601 " 2800	1 50	2 25	2 60
2801 " 3000	1 [illegible]	2 [illegible]	2 70
3001 " 3200	1 60	2 40	2 80
3201 " 3400	1 65	2 45	2 85
3401 " 3600	1 70	2 55	2 95
3601 " 3800	1 75	2 6[illegible]	3 05
3801 " 4000	1 80	2 70	3 15

For houses, tenements or buildings of one story, covering a ground area of more than 4000 square feet five (5) cents for each additional 200 square feet or fractional part thereof shall be added, and for two stories fifty per cent., and for three stories and upwards seventy-five per cent shall be further added to the rate for one story.

Where a single house, dwelling or tenement is occupied by more than one family, in addition to the foregoing rates one-half of said rates for each additional family.

Hotels, taverns and boarding houses (not including water for baths, water closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house or building) shall be charged for each guest, boarder and lodger within the same, in addition to the rates above specified, $0 10.

For each day boarder, $0 05.

Lodging houses, buildings containing business offices, and boarding schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each person occupying, lodging, living or staying within the same, $0.05.

Public and private day schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each pupil, $0 01.

Stores, offices, banks, warehouses, blacksmith shops, churches, halls and business premises, taking water only for ordinary purposes, at the rates specified.

For saloons, places of amusement, beer halls, groceries, restaurants, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, confectioneries, photograph galleries, printing offices, green houses, horse troughs, soda fountains, engine houses, according to the estimated quantity of water used, at from $0 75 to $7 50 or, in case of disagreement in estimates, at meter rates, as herein.

For slaughter houses, breweries, bottling establishments, railroads, steam engines, powers, motors, elevators, mills, manufactories, jails, laundries, or for other purposes not specially rated in this schedule, and requiring a large quantity of water, according to the quantity of water used, at meter rates.

For water closet for use in one private dwelling, $1.50.

Each additional water closet for use in one private dwelling, $0 15.

For each water closet for use of hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, saloons, public houses, public buildings, or public premises, or in a position accessible to or used by other than one private family, $0 75.

For each urinal accessible to other than one private family, $0 25.

Each urinal for use in one private dwelling, $0 10.

For each bath tub in private dwelling, $0 40.

For each bathtub in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools or accessible to other than one private family, $0 75.

Each bathtub in bathing establishments and barber shops, $1 25.

Swimming baths at meter rates.

Irrigation of lawns, gardens and grounds, five mills (½ cent) per square yard per month, payable every month in the year; *provided*, that there shall be no charge for irrigation less than $2 40 per year.

For water used for washing sidewalks, windows, fronts of buildings and stores, for the first twenty-five lineal front feet facing the street, one cent per lineal foot; for each additional lineal front foot, one-half a cent. Hose used for these purposes shall not have a nozzle larger than ⅜ of an inch in diameter of orifice.

For horse kept in private stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 40.

Each horse kept in livery stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 35.

Each car, stage, omnibus, saddle and draught horse and mule, $0 25.

Provided, that in no case shall any stable be charged less than $0 40.

Each cow, $0 15.

For water to make mortar, for each one thousand brick used, $0 15.

For water to slack each barrel of lime used for any purpose other than for laying bricks, $0 25.

For water to moisten each barrel of cement used, $0 05.

For water used to settle earth when replacing it in a ditch or excavation, for each cubic yard of earth, $0 01.

Bakeries, according to the monthly use of flour, for each twenty-five barrels or fractional part thereof, $1 00.

For water furnished for any and all other purposes not otherwise embraced in this schedule shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

Forty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2 50.

Thirty-five cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $25 00.

Thirty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $50 00.

For the water used for sprinkling streets and roads by the county of Alameda, its officers, employes or those contracting with the county for the work of sprinkling said streets and roads, or used by persons authorized by the county or its officers, shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons, the quantity so used to be determined by meters or by an accurate monthly account to be kept by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district, of the number of casks or sprinkling wagon loads used, of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon loads used, and of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, correct copies of said accounts to be furnished by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district monthly, at the close of each calendar month, to the Contra Costa Water Company.

Water used by the county of Alameda, its officers or employes, or persons authorized by the county or its officers, for flushing and cleaning sewers shall be supplied through meters only, and the quantity of water so used shall be charged to and paid for by the county, monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons. The rate of compensation to be charged and collected monthly from the county of Alameda for water supplied to, and by, and through fire hydrants for fire purposes, and for the protection against fire thus afforded, and not including water used or taken by, through or from fire hydrants for any other purposes, shall be three dollars per month for each fire hydrant.

Section 2. The monthly rates due and collectable under this ordinance shall be payable monthly in advance, except the rates for water furnished by meter or for public uses, which shall be payable at the end of each calendar month; and all water rates, except the rates for water for public use, if not paid within fifteen days after becoming due, shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Section 3. The Contra Costa Water Company shall, by authorized agents, make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for water, or upon a consumers request for a readjustment of rates, and shall designate rates strictly in accordance with those herein established.

Said agents shall have free access, during reasonable hours, to all premises supplied with water, for the purpose of ascertaining and designating rates; and should it appear from such examination that any consumer is excessively using or is wasting water, said consumer shall be supplied at meter rate as herein.

Section 4. This ordinance fixes the maximum water rates beyond which the said Contra Costa Water Company shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of April, A. D., 1895.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, December 24, 1894, by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Bailey, Martin, Johnston and Pelouze.

Noes—None.

Absent, Chairman Morgan.

HIRAM BAILEY,
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THE POPULISTS.

They Will Discuss the Plans of the Party.

A Meeting of the Leaders in St. Louis.

The Conference May Result in Some Radical Changes.

CHICAGO, December 26.—There was a hegira of local leaders of the People's party to St. Louis today to attend a national conference of leading members of that organization which will be held in that city on Friday and Saturday. The conference promises to be one of the liveliest political events of the season, and as a consequence there will be a large Chicago contingent present.

Taking the Chicago contingent as a basis of representation, the conference will be participated in by several hundred leading members of the party coming from nearly every State in the Union. Among the leaders who have signified their intention of being present are Senator Peffer and Jerry Simpson of Kansas, Chairman Maxwell of the Illinois State Central Committee, Congressman Pence of Colorado, Senator Kyle of South Dakota, George Schilling of Milwaukee, Governor Lewelling of Kansas, Tom Watson of Georgia, and others prominent in Populist politics. The conference may result in some radical changes in the party programme.

Three diverse elements will, it is said, be found in the conference, and each will seek to make its own views a part of the party creed in the next national campaign. The conference being an unofficial one, cannot formulate a platform or declaration of principles, but its deliberations and conclusions will doubtless have great weight and will have much to do with shaping the future course of the party.

There is first a large and powerful element in the party headed by Chairman Taubeneck himself, which favors the concentration of the party strength on a single plank—silver. It is argued that the Omaha platform was too scattering, that it advocated too many reforms at once to be effective, and that a more effective contest could be waged on a single issue. The advocates of a solitary silver plank argue that it would bring all the Western, Mountain and Pacific States under the Populist banner, and also capture many of the Southern States. This idea will be advocated by the Western delegates and many of those from the South.

There is another element which, while as strongly in favor of free silver as the former faction, is inclined to urge other measures of relief as well.

This element desires the adoption of a national platform containing four essential planks—money, land, transportation and taxation. The first plank embodies the free silver declaration and also demands the creation of a greenback currency as well. Its demands as to land and transportation are those at present made by existing platforms, while the income tax will be defended and the single taxers find room for their favorite theory.

The socialistic group will form the third element. It will, in fact, be a Chicago product, and will be backed by the flower of Chicago socialism. This element has but one demand, and that it will insist upon. That is plank 10. In other words, if the Populist party expects the aid and comfort of the socialists, it must declare that all means of production and distribution of commodities must belong to the people. The champions of plank 10 will be willing to support free silver or will accept the views of the second element provided plank 10 is also recognized.

It will thus be seen that the socialistic group stands in a position to aid either of the other factions in consideration of the recognition of its own beloved principle.

The outcome is one which will be awaited with interest. If plank 10 is repudiated it is hinted that the socialists will, in all probability, sever their connection with the party.

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A Meeting of the Leaders in St. Louis.

The Conference May Result in Some Radical Changes.

CHICAGO, December 26.—There was a hegira of local leaders of the People's party to St. Louis today to attend a national conference of leading members of that organization which will be held in that city on Friday and Saturday. The conference promises to be one of the liveliest political events of the season, and as a consequence there will be a large Chicago contingent present.

Taking the Chicago contingent as a basis of representation, the conference will be participated in by several hundred leading members of the party coming from nearly every State in the Union. Among the leaders who have signified their intention of being present are Senator Peffer and Jerry Simpson of Kansas, Chairman Maxwell of the Illinois State Central Committee, Congressman Pence of Colorado, Senator Kyle of South Dakota, George Schilling of Milwaukee, Governor Lewelling of Kansas, Tom Watson of Georgia, and others prominent in Populist politics. The conference may result in some radical changes in the party programme.

Three diverse elements will, it is said, be found in the conference, and each will seek to make its own views a part of the party creed in the next national campaign. The conference being an unofficial one, cannot formulate a platform or declaration of principles, but its deliberations and conclusions will doubtless have great weight and will have much to do with shaping the future course of the party.

There is first a large and powerful element in the party headed by Chairman Taubeneck himself, which favors the concentration of the party strength on a single plank—silver. It is argued that the Omaha platform was too scattering, that it advocated too many reforms at once to be effective, and that a more effective contest could be waged on a single issue. The advocates of a solitary silver plank argue that it would bring all the Western, Mountain and Pacific States under the Populist banner, and also capture many of the Southern States. This idea will be advocated by the Western delegates and many of those from the South.

There is another element which, while as strongly in favor of free silver as the former faction, is inclined to urge other measures of relief as well.

This element desires the adoption of a national platform containing four essential planks—money, land, transportation and taxation. The first plank embodies the free silver declaration and also demands the creation of a greenback currency as well. Its demands as to land and transportation are those at present made by existing platforms, while the income tax will be defended and the single taxers find room for their favorite theory.

The socialistic group will form the third element. It will, in fact, be a Chicago product, and will be backed by the flower of Chicago socialism. This element has but one demand, and that it will insist upon. That is plank 10. In other words, if the Populist party expects the aid and comfort of the socialists, it must declare that all means of production and distribution of commodities must belong to the people. The champions of plank 10 will be willing to support free silver or will accept the views of the second element provided plank 10 is also recognized.

It will thus be seen that the socialistic group stands in a position to aid either of the other factions in consideration of the recognition of its own beloved principle.

The outcome is one which will be awaited with interest. If plank 10 is repudiated it is hinted that the socialists will, in all probability, sever their connection with the party.

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WEDNESDAY.....DECEMBER 26, 1894

If the ashes of the Chiff House, which was destroyed by fire last night, could speak, what a story they could unfold of all the human virtues and vices—particularly the latter!

The morphine habit is just now claiming another victim, as it is closing the career of one of Great Britain's erstwhile brightest public men, who, for a time, promised to become the power behind the throne. Lord Randolph Churchill is dying!

Has any one taken the pains to determine the relationship between the frequent attacks made of late on citizens by footpads and the presence in our midst of an organized gang of ex-convicts and tramps who are living on the bread of idleness and robbing the worthy poor of the bread of charity?

The Christmas edition of the *Examiner* was a novelty in newspaper-making. It was, in the first place, a charity edition, designed for the benefit of the hospital ward for juvenile incurables. In this respect, it must have been a very substantial success, yielding a handsome revenue. In the second place, the edition was the product of a number of the best-known society women of San Francisco, who were responsible for the work of every department. The editorial, local news, telegraph and art staffs were all San Francisco women, and their work is one of high order in a literary and artistic sense. None of the departments in the paper showed any serious signs of amateurishness. Much of what was printed in it would have been a credit to veteran newspaper workers and the illustrations will put some of the newspaper artists of the metropolis on their mettle. The ladies are to be congratulated on their remarkable success and the *Examiner* is deserving of praise for having given them an opportunity of showing what they are capable of doing and for aiding, in this way, a worthy charity.

Annexation of Temescal.

The people of Temescal and the outlying territory sandwiched between Oakland and Berkeley are earnest in their desire to become annexed to this city. The prime movers in the matter are the small property-owners—the men who have made the district their homes, and who are undoubtedly paying the larger portion of the taxes in the district. These persons have made a house-to-house canvass, and represent that an overwhelming majority of the people residing in the territory asking to be annexed are in favor of the proposition.

The territory to be annexed embraces everything between the two cities lying west of the following line, excepting the sanitary district of Golden Gate:

Beginning at a point in the present northern boundary of the city of Oakland, at its intersection with a line parallel to and one hundred feet distant easterly from the easterly line of Broadway. Thence northerly along a line parallel to and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway to its intersection with the extension southerly of the division line between plots 72 and 73, as per Kellersberger's map of Vincente and Domingo Peralta's rancho, in Alameda county, State of California; thence northerly along said extension southerly of the division line between said plots 72 and 73, and the division line between said plots and plots 74 and 76 to the present southeasterly corner of the city of Berkeley.

The sanitary district of Golden Gate is excluded because it has just entered into a $40,000 bonded obligation for the construction of an effective sewer system.

At present the promoters of the annexation proposition are circulating a petition in this city for signature requesting the City Council to call an annexation election. It will be necessary for them to secure 3000 signatures to make a legal petition. The aim and ambition of Oakland has been for many years to absorb all of the territory lying north of it to the county line. There are many citizens here who hope to see the incorporation of all the suburbs of Oakland under one municipal government. It rests with the people themselves to determine when the time is ripe for such a movement. This work of the consolidation of the city with the suburban settlements clustering around it has seemingly to be done by degrees. Temescal is openly in the field now seeking political union so as to get the benefit of our drainage system, police and fire service and other municipal facilities. Temescal, Peralta and Emeryville, which are embraced in the territory proposed to be annexed, have good public school buildings already. Rumblings of annexation have also been heard at frequent intervals of late from Piedmont, which has no outlet for its drainage except through the sewer system of this city, but the movement in that district has not yet taken definite shape. It is only a question of time when all these outlying settlements will not only have to seek admission to the municipality, but the municipality will of necessity be forced, in self-defense to absorb them. The geographical situation makes their community interests and relations inseparable.

Rounding Off a Century.

The other day THE TRIBUNE recorded the semi-centennial anniversary of the Milwaukee *Sentinel* as a daily newspaper, and today it has the pleasure of noting the survival of the Rutland, Vt., *Herald* as a weekly newspaper for a full century. The one hundredth anniversary of the *Herald* occurred December 5th. It has celebrated the event by the issuance of a centennial edition covering its own history and the chief points in the career of the men who have carried it through good and evil report and the vicissitudes of fortune from its humble beginning to date.

The history of a paper founded one hundred years ago, is in a very large measure, the history of the nation. Newspapers having such a history are rare. There are not a dozen in existence in the country today. When such a newspaper was founded George Washington was half way through his second term as President. The young nation had demonstrated its capacity for self-government and its right to a place among the family of civilized nations. But it had not emerged from the experimental stage. It remained for it to show its ability to survive the crisis which should result in the installation of a successor to George Washington. The entire population of the nation numbered only about one million. Thirty years later the total vote for President amounted to only 352,082, indicating a population of only 1,500,000.

A newspaper with a record of nearly one hundred years to its credit possesses a rare heritage. What a rich field for retrospection! Such a paper has recorded the election of every President, except Washington, which these United States have inaugurated. It has recorded the retirement of every President the nation has had, including Washington. It has noted the growth and development of the nation from a population of less than one million to a population of over sixty millions, and from the narrow strip of territory embraced in the original thirteen States to a domain extending from ocean to ocean and from the Gulf of Mexico to the Great Lakes.

When the *Herald* was founded in Rutland, Vt., that place was a backwoods village in the heart of the wilderness. It had no communication with civilization excepting such as the rough roads of the period cut through the virgin forests and the rare transit of individuals from one settlement to another afforded. No system of mail service had been devised. A letter written at Rutland in the dead of winter had to wait until the month of August before it could be sent to Cambridge, Mass. It was nearly half a century before railroading began and the telegraph was invented. The vast stretch of country lying west of the State of Vermont was largly a terra incognito, the habitat and hunting grounds of unfriendly Indian tribes.

The little backwoods village in which the Rutland *Herald* was founded a hundred years ago is now a populous city. The *Herald* of today counts its subscribers by the thousands where it counted them a hundred years ago by the tens. It no longer invites its subscribers to pay for the paper in maple sugar, as its founder was forced to do in its pioneer days. It is a rather singular coincidence that the founders of the *Herald* were two Samuel Williamses, one an ex-professor of Harvard College and a Congregational minister, the other a jurist of considerable note in that section and an elder of the church over which the former officiated as pastor, but there existed no blood relationship between them.

For thirty-three years the *Herald* has been issued as a daily. It now bears the evidence of thrift and prosperity. Its survival and success proves that its founders builded better than they ever dreamed of.

The World's Merchant Marine.

M. G. Mulhall, the well known English statistician, has an article in the *Contemporary Review* for the current month, treating of the mercantile marine of the world. Great Britain leads the world in the number of ships engaged in commerce and in the volume of their carrying capacity. The carrying power of British ships in 1894, so Mr. Mulhall tells us, amounted to 27,720,000 tons, while that of all other nations engaged in commerce have a combined carrying power of only 21,120,000 tons. Great Britain thus possesses 56 per cent of the carrying power of the mercantile marine of the world. The United States has herculean work before it to restore its lost commerce on the seas. As a matter of fact, according to Mr. Mulhall's way of figuring, the carrying power of the merchant marine of the United States has actually shrunk eighty thousand tons during the decade ending with 1892.

In the list of maritime nations the United States figures as a sixth rater, notwithstanding its incomparable seaboard fronting on two great oceans and its enviable position, situated midway between the rich countries of the Orient and the continent of Europe. The little kingdom of Scandinavia—the Norseland of old—still claims a place as a bold voyager of the deep. The carrying power of the northern European peninsula is next on the list to that of Great Britain; but it amounts to only 4,240,000 tons. Germany comes third, with 3,870,000 tons; France next in order, with 2,410,000; then follows Spain, which was before the destruction of the Armada in good Queen Bess's time mistress of the seas, with 2,020,000 tons. The United States comes next in the order, but so closely followed by the little kingdom of Italy that it has nothing to brag of. The carrying power of the former is placed at 1,680,000 tons, and of the latter, 1,410,000 tons.

In 1840 the nominal tonnage of Great Britain's merchant fleet was 3,310,000 tons. This had increased to 10,230,000 tons in 1892. The carrying power of the ships containing this nominal tonnage is obtained by multiplying the nominal tonnage by the number of trips these vessels make annually in the trade in which they are engaged. All other nations had in 1840 a nominal tonnage of 6,070,000, and in 1892, 12,607,000. Looking at the subject from the standpoint of nominal tonnage of her fleet, Great Britain, it will be observed, possesses only a little over 40 per cent of the actual nominal tonnage of the world's merchant marine, but she has secured enough of the world's commerce to increase the carrying power of that fleet so that it exceeds the carrying power of the nominal tonnage of all other nations 16 per cent.

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Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

RICHARD CROKER, the ex-Sachem of Tammany, has played a big bluff on the silver-tongued Tammany orator, Bourke Cochran, by challenging him to tell all he knows to the Executive Committee of Tammany or on the witness stand of the Lexow Commission regarding his (Croker's) administration of Tammany's affairs. If Cochran has the courage he will accept the challenge and a tale unfold much more interesting and far-reaching in its effect than anything that the commission has yet listened to.

ONE of the statisticians of the Agricultural Department has discovered that the people of this country eat too much. A far more useful and beneficial discovery would be that of a method for filling the hungry stomachs of those who are unable to earn a sufficiency because of lack of employment.

Views of a Pessimist.

The day will come
When women will care naught for dress
When spinsters will their age confess,
To its full sum;
When Kentucky's colonels, brave and true,
Their idegitimate mountain dew
Will cease to drink;
When Ingersoll will turn devout,
And such a day will come about,
I do not think.

The day will come
When Congressmen won't chin all day,
But really work to earn their pay,
Too large a sum;
When simpson with the unclothed feet,
Down in the Presidential seat
Will softly sink;
When farmers won't blow out the gas;
And such a day will come to pass,
I do not think.

The day will come
When lovely maids won't care to read
The books of Zola and his creed,
And won't chew gum;
When graduates will not repeat
The "standing with reluctant feet"
On life's broad brink;
When green goods men no prey can find
Will such a day the years unwind?
I do not think.

The day will come
When football men will cease to wear
Their hair as does the gifted player,
Pianos to strum;
When pugilists will not delight
To bluster, and from offered fight
Will scorn to shrink;
When politicians straight will be,
And such a day we yet will see,
I do not think.

—*Charles J. Colton in New York Sun.*

MIRTHFUL MORSELS.

THE LONG AND SHORT OF IT.

"Father," said the boy, "what is insolvent?"

"Insolvent," was the reply, "is merely a long word used to describe a short condition."—*Washington Star.*

WHAT COULD HE SAY?

The young man clutched his elderly friend in a frantic grasp.

"What ought a feller to say," he asked, "when a young woman asks him if he thinks she is as old as she looks?"—*Indianapolis Journal.*

COULDN'T MISS IT.

Teacher—In which of his battles was General Custer killed?

Numbskull (after reflection)—I believe it was his last.—*The Witzerbury.*

A DISTINCTION AND A DIFFERENCE.

"Are you used to serving roast beef rare?" said the lady who was endeavoring to learn whether she suited the new cook.

"No, ma'am," was the loftily spoken reply. "Up to the date of me present employment I've been used to serving it frequent."—*Washington Star.*

THE MISTAKEN POET.

He—Here is a very pretty bit of poetry. Shall I read it to you?

She—What is the title?

He—"The Empty Sleeve."

She—Oh, that poet was mistaken. The sleeve may have been comparatively empty, but the girl's arm was in it somewhere.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

ATMOSPHERE AGAIN.

I did hope for an artistic career," said the disappointed looking man, but I met with difficulties I couldn't conquer. What I needed was atmosphere.

"I see. The same old trouble. What were you, an author or a painter?"

"Neither. I was learning to play the trombone, but I was naturally short of breath.—*Washington Star.*

FORTUNATE POSSESSION.

"Speaking of miraculous escapes," said Smith, "young Brown was shot full in the chest the other day and still was unharmed."

"Mother's Bible in his pocket?" said Robinson.

"Pack of cards, more likely," remarked Jones.

"You are not up to date," said Smith, the bullet struck him in the chrysanthemum."—*Life.*

AT THE BARGAIN COUNTER.

Kitty—Good gracious! How did Fannie ever come to take to such a man as that?

John—I understood she met him first at a drygoods emporium on bargain day.

Kitty—What difference does that make?

John—Oh, a woman will take anything then.—*Detroit Free Press.*

WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN.

Two Japanese no'er together come
To chain us with their rustle—
How strange a girl would look, by gummy
In bloomers and a bustle.
—*New York Press.*

WAY UP.

Lottie—Before Ethel married that young literary man she told me one day that her union with him was going to raise her to a higher life.

Tottie—And did it?

Lottie—Yes; they are living in an attic now.—*Somerville Journal.*

NOTES FOR WOMEN.

In baking bread or rolls put a saucepan of boiling water into the oven. The steam will keep the crust smooth and tender.

Much of the heavy cake and bread is the result of the oven door being banged when closed. Close the door as gently as possible.

Cut doughnuts out an hour or more before they are fried and allow them time for rising. They will be much lighter than when fried as soon as they are cut. Try cutting them at night and trying them in the morning.

Housekeepers should remember when making biscuit and dumplings with baking powder that three tablespoonfuls of the baking powder will be required to make one quart of flour light. The manufacturers' directions often call for only two, and the result is unsatisfactory.

Some dressmakers recommend to their customers the wearing of gauze vests instead of Cambric underwaists. They say that the outside waist will set much more smoothly over this vest, which may be opened, if desired, in front and buttoned down its length. The trouble with those gauze underwaists which are sold in the shops is that they are far from tight fitting and are as apt to wrinkle around the waist as the cambric ones which they supersede.

To make French nougat, boil one pound of granulated sugar and one teacupful of water over a sharp fire until it begins to turn yellow, writes Nellie Willey in a practical paper on "Making Candy at Home" in the December *Ladies' Home Journal.* Do not stir while boiling. Have ready one-half pound of almonds bleached and dried. Put them in the oven and leave the door open; when they begin to look yellow add to the candy as it reaches the turning point described above, and quickly turn into a well-oiled tin or iron pan about one-half an inch thick; mark with a sharp knife into bars before it cools. By bending the tins between the hands slightly the candy will come out easily.

Unlovely lips come from an unhealthy stomach. Bad digestion will often assert itself in broken or chapped lips, sores in the corners of the mouth, fever blisters and a coated tongue. Chronic sore mouths should be rubbed with sweet oil or pure glycerine at night; in the morning wash with a solution of alum or borax—a teaspoonful in a tumbler of water. Camphor ice is both healing and cleansing. Good cold cream is not a bad salve. The receipt is simple enough, but it doesn't pay to prepare it; all the druggists have supplies and cheerfully dispense 5-cent quantities. Citron ointment is one of the old reliable salves kept by all chemists. It is applied to the sore with a soft linen cloth. When the mouth is sore the diet should be changed to vegetable foods.

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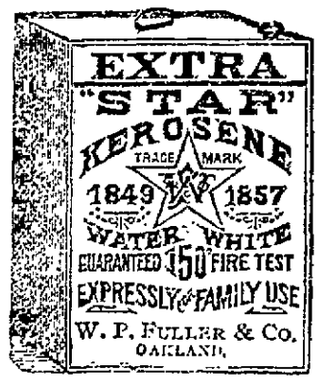

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1894

IF the ashes of the Cliff House, which was destroyed by fire last night, could speak, what a story they could unfold of all the human virtues and vices—particularly the latter!

THE morphine habit is just now claiming another victim, as it is closing the career of one of Great Britain's erstwhile brightest public men, who, for a time, promised to become the power behind the throne. Lord Randolph Churchill is dying!

HAS any one taken the pains to determine the relationship between the frequent attacks made of late on citizens by footpads and the presence in our midst of an organized gang of ex-convicts and tramps who are living on the bread of idleness and robbing the worthy poor of the bread of charity?

THE Christmas edition of the *Examiner* was a novelty in newspaper-making. It was, in the first place, a charity edition, designed for the benefit of the hospital ward for juvenile incurables. In this respect, it must have been a very substantial success, yielding a handsome revenue. In the second place, the edition was the product of a number of the best-known society women of San Francisco, who were responsible for the work of every department. The editorial, local news, telegraph and art staffs were all San Francisco women, and their work is one of high order in a literary and artistic sense. None of the departments in the paper showed any serious signs of amateurishness. Much of what was printed in it would have been a credit to veteran newspaper workers and the illustrations will put some of the newspaper artists of the metropolis on their mettle. The ladies are to be congratulated on their remarkable success and the *Examiner* is deserving of praise for having given them an opportunity of showing what they are capable of doing and for aiding, in this way, a worthy charity.

Annexation of Temescal.

The people of Temescal and the outlying territory sandwiched between Oakland and Berkeley are earnest in their desire to become annexed to this city. The prime movers in the matter are the small property-owners—the men who have made the district their homes, and who are undoubtedly paying the larger portion of the taxes in the district. These persons have made a house-to-house canvass, and represent that an overwhelming majority of the people residing in the territory asking to be annexed are in favor of the proposition.

The territory to be annexed embraces everything between the two cities lying west of the following line, excepting the sanitary district of Golden Gate:

Beginning at a point in the present northern boundary of the city of Oakland, at its intersection with a line parallel to and one hundred feet distant easterly from the easterly line of Broadway. Thence northerly along a line parallel to and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway to its intersection with the extension southerly of the division line between plots 72 and 73, as per Kellersberger's map of Vincente and Domingo Peralta's rancho, in Alameda county, State of California; thence northerly along said extension southerly of the division line between said plots 72 and 73, and the division line between said plots and plots 71 and 76 to the present southeasterly corner of the city of Berkeley.

The sanitary district of Golden Gate is excluded because it has just entered into a $10,000 bonded obligation for the construction of an effective sewer system.

At present the promoters of the annexation proposition are circulating a petition in this city for signature requesting the City Council to call an annexation election. It will be necessary for them to secure 3000 signatures to make a legal petition. The aim and ambition of Oakland has been for many years to absorb all of the territory lying north of it to the county line. There are many citizens here who hope to see the incorporation of all the suburbs of Oakland under one municipal government. It rests with the people themselves to determine when the time is ripe for such a movement. This work of the consolidation of the city with the suburban settlements clustering around it has seemingly to be done by degrees. Temescal is openly in the field now seeking political union so as to get the benefit of our drainage system, police and fire service and other municipal facilities. Temescal, Peralta and Emeryville, which are embraced in the territory proposed to be annexed, have good public school buildings already. Rumblings of annexation have also been heard at frequent intervals of late from Piedmont, which has no outlet for its drainage except through the sewer system of this city, but the movement in that district has not yet taken definite shape. It is only a question of time when all these outlying settlements will not only have to seek admission to the municipality, but the municipality will of necessity be forced in self-defense to absorb them. The geographical situation makes their community interests and relations inseparable.

Rounding Off a Century.

The other day THE TRIBUNE recorded the semi-centennial anniversary of the Milwaukee *Sentinel* as a daily newspaper, and today it has the pleasure of noting the survival of the Rutland, Vt., *Herald* as a weekly newspaper for a full century. The one hundredth anniversary of the *Herald* occurred December 8th. It has celebrated the event by the issuance of a centennial edition covering its own history and the chief points in the career of the men who have carried it through good and evil report and the vicissitudes of fortune from its humble beginning to date.

The history of a paper founded one hundred years ago, is in a very large measure, the history of the nation. Newspapers having such a history are rare. There are not a dozen in existence in the country today. When such a newspaper was founded George Washington was half way through his second term as President. The young nation had demonstrated its capacity for self-government and its right to a place among the family of civilized nations. But it had not emerged from the experimental stage. It remained for it to show its ability to survive the crisis which should result in the installation of a successor to George Washington. The entire population of the nation numbered only about one million. Thirty years later the total vote for President amounted to only 352,062, indicating a population of only 1,500,000.

A newspaper with a record of nearly one hundred years to its credit possesses a rare heritage. What a rich field for retrospection! Such a paper has recorded the election of every President, except Washington, which these United States have inaugurated. It has recorded the retirement of every President the nation has had, including Washington. It has noted the growth and development of the nation from a population of less than one million to a population of over sixty millions, and from the narrow strip of territory embraced in the original thirteen States to a domain extending from ocean to ocean and from the Gulf of Mexico to the Great Lakes.

When the *Herald* was founded in Rutland, Vt., that place was a backwoods village in the heart of the wilderness. It had no communication with civilization excepting such as the rough roads of the period cut through the virgin forests and the rare transit of individuals from one settlement to another afforded. No system of mail service had been devised. A letter written at Rutland in the dead of winter had to wait until the month of August before it could be sent to Cambridge, Mass. It was nearly half a century before railroading began and the telegraph was invented. The vast stretch of country lying west of the State of Vermont was largely a terra incognito, the habitat and hunting grounds of unfriendly Indian tribes.

The little backwoods village in which the Rutland *Herald* was founded a hundred years ago is now a populous city. The *Herald* of today counts its subscribers by the thousands where it counted them a hundred years ago by the tens. It no longer invites its subscribers to pay for the paper in maple sugar, as its founder was forced to do in its pioneer days. It is a rather singular coincidence that the founders of the *Herald* were two Samuel Williamses, one an ex-professor of Harvard College and a Congregational minister, the other a jurist of considerable note in that section and an elder of the church over which the former officiated as pastor, but there existed no blood relationship between them.

For thirty-three years the *Herald* has been issued as a daily. It now bears the evidence of thrift and prosperity. Its survival and success proves that its founders builded better than they ever dreamed of.

The World's Merchant Marine.

M. G. Mulhall, the well known English statistician, has an article in the *Contemporary Review* for the current month, treating of the mercantile marine of the world. Great Britain leads the world in the number of ships engaged in commerce and in the volume of their carrying capacity. The carrying power of British ships in 1891, so Mr. Mulhall tells us, amounted to 27,720,000 tons, while that of all other nations engaged in commerce have a combined carrying power of only 21,120,000 tons. Great Britain thus possesses 56 per cent of the carrying power of the mercantile marine of the world. The United States has herculean work before it to restore its lost commerce on the seas. As a matter of fact, according to Mr. Mulhall's way of figuring, the carrying power of the merchant marine of the United States has actually shrunk eighty thousand tons during the decade ending with 1892.

In the list of maritime nations, the United States figures as a sixth rater, notwithstanding its incomparable seaboard fronting on two great oceans and its enviable position, situated midway between the rich countries of the Orient and the continent of Europe. The little kingdom of Scandinavia—the Norseland of old—still claims a place as a bold voyager of the deep. The carrying power of the northern European peninsula is next on the list to that of Great Britain; but it amounts to only 4,210,000 tons. Germany comes third, with 3,870,000 tons; France next in order, with 2,410,000; then follows Spain, which was before the destruction of the Armada in good Queen Bess's time mistress of the seas, with 2,020,000 tons. The United States comes next in the order, but so closely followed by the little kingdom of Italy that it has nothing to brag of. The carrying power of the former is placed at 1,080,000 tons, and of the latter, 1,410,000 tons.

In 1840 the nominal tonnage of Great Britain's merchant fleet was 3,310,000 tons. This had increased to 10,230,000 tons in 1892. The carrying power of the ships containing this nominal tonnage is obtained by multiplying the nominal tonnage by the number of trips these vessels make annually in the trade in which they are engaged. All other nations had in 1840 a nominal tonnage of 6,070,000, and in 1892, 12,607,000. Looking at the subject from the standpoint of nominal tonnage of her fleet, Great Britain, it will be observed, possesses only a little over 10 per cent of the actual nominal tonnage of the world's merchant marine, but she has secured enough of the world's commerce to increase the carrying power of that fleet so that it exceeds the carrying power of the nominal tonnage of all other nations 10 per cent.

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ONE of the statisticians of the Agricultural Department has discovered that the people of this country eat too much. A far more useful and beneficial discovery would be that of a method for filling the hungry stomachs of those who are unable to earn a sufficiency because of lack of employment.

Views of a Pessimist.

The day will come
  When women will care naught for dress
  When spinsters will their age confess,
To its full sum
  When Kaintuck's colonels, brave and true,
  Their illegitimate mountain dew
Will cease to drink
  When Ingersoll will turn devout,
  And such a day will come about,
I do not think

The day will come
  When Congressmen won't chin all day,
  But really work to earn their pay,
Too large a sum;
  When Simpson with the unclothed feet,
  Down in the Presidential seat
Will softly sink
  When farmers won't blow out the gas;
  And such a day will come to pass,
I do not think.

The day will come
  When lovely maids won't care to read
  The books of Zola and his creed,
And won't chew gum
  When graduates will not repeat
  The "standing with reluctant feet"
On life's broad brink.
  When green goods men no prey can find
  Will such a day the years unwind?
I do not think.

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  When football men will cease to wear
  Their hair as does the gifted player,
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  When pugilists will not delight
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"Mother's Bible in his pocket?" said Robinson.

"Pack of cards, more likely," remarked Jones.

"You are not up to date," said Smith, the bullet struck him in the chrysanthemum."—*Life.*

AT THE BARGAIN COUNTER.

Kitty—Good gracious? How did Fannie ever come to take to such a man as that?

John—I understood she met him first at a drygoods emporium on bargain day.

Kitty—What difference does that make?

John—Oh, a woman will take anything then.—*Detroit Free Press.*

WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN.

Two fashions ne'er together come
  To charm us with their rustle—
How strange a girl would look, by gum!
  In bloomers and a bustle.
—*New York Press.*

WAY UP.

Lottie—Before Ethel married that young literary man she told me one day that her union with him was going to raise her to a higher life.

Tottie—And did it?

Lottie—Yes; they are living in an attic now.—*Somerville Journal.*

NOTES FOR WOMEN.

In baking bread or rolls put a saucepan of boiling water into the oven. The steam will keep the crust smooth and tender.

Much of the heavy cake and bread is the result of the oven door being banged when closed. Close the door as gently as possible.

Cut doughnuts out an hour or more before they are fried and allow them time for rising. They will be much lighter than when fried as soon as they are cut. Try cutting them at night and frying them in the morning.

Housekeepers should remember when making biscuit and dumplings with baking powder that three tablespoonfuls of the baking powder will be required to make one quart of flour light. The manufacturers' directions often call for only two, and the result is unsatisfactory.

Some dressmakers recommend to their customers the wearing of gauze vests instead of Cambric underwaists. They say that the outside waist will set much more smoothly over this vest, which may be opened, if desired, in front and buttoned down its length. The trouble with those gauze underwaists which are sold in the shops is that they are far from tight fitting and are as apt to wrinkle around the waist as the cambric ones which they supersede.

To make French nougat, boil one pound of granulated sugar and one teacupful of water over a sharp fire until it begins to turn yellow, writes Nellie Willey in a practical paper on "Making Candy at Home" in the December *Ladies' Home Journal.* Do not stir while boiling. Have ready one-half pound of almonds blanched and dried. Put them in the oven and leave the door open; when they begin to look yellow add to the candy as it reaches the turning point described above, and quickly turn into a well-oiled tin or iron pan about one-half an inch thick; mark with a sharp knife into bars before it cools. By bending the tins between the hands slightly the candy will come out easily.

Unlovely lips come from an unhealthy stomach. Bad digestion will often assert itself in broken or chapped lips, sores in the corners of the mouth, fever blisters and a coated tongue. Chronic sore mouths should be rubbed with sweet oil or pure glycerine at night; in the morning wash with a solution of alum or borax—a teaspoonful in a tumbler of water. Camphor ice is both healing and cleansing. Good cold cream is not a bad salve. The receipt is simple enough, but it doesn't pay to prepare it; all the druggists have supplies and cheerfully dispose 5-cent quantities. Citron ointment is one of the old reliable salves kept by all chemists. It is applied to the sore with a soft linen cloth. When the mouth is sore the diet should be changed to vegetable foods.

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LUNCH.

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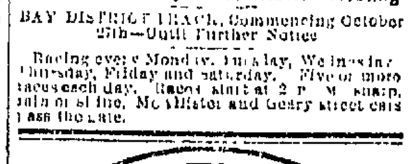

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How the Distribution of the Donations Was Made.

The goods collected by THE TRIBUNE'S Christmas Relief Bureau were distributed among the poor yesterday, and the event aroused a great deal of interest.

The distribution began early in the morning and, notwithstanding that it was conducted as fast as possible and the employment of as many people as could work in the Bureau, the last delivery was not accomplished until late in the evening.

Those final deliveries, however, were made to families residing in the more distant parts of the city and suburbs, and by far the greater number of needy ones had been served in time for their Christmas dinne .

The distribution of the goods took place from the Bureau, 482 Eighth street, and was witnessed throughout the day by a throng of interested people. Some of those onlookers were desirous of securing aid themselves. Some were among those who had already made application for relief, and others were people beyond the reach of want, who lent to the work of relieving the poor the encouragement of their presence.

In the work of distribution six men were engaged. The great piles of goods were apportioned among the applicants, each share being placed on a spot on the floor, tagged with the applicant's name, address and the district to which he belonged.

These individual piles were made up of coal, coke or wood, flour, meal of various kinds, sugar, tea, coffee, and clothing, in accordance with the reports furnished the Bureau by a corps of visitors, who conscientiously reported upon every case referred to them. These inspectors were selected with special reference to their knowledge of the city, their understanding of the needs of the poor, and their disposition to report impartially upon each and every case referred to them without respect to race, creed or any other extraneous consideration.

The statements of these visitors gave information on the following facts regarding the applicants, all of which were learned at the homes of those desiring assistance: Names, place of residence, single or married, length of residence in Oakland, occupation, reputation, how long out of employment, number and age of the children in the family, number of members of the family working, whether any were sick, what other sources of relief were enjoyed, kind of food, clothing and fuel needed and whether or not medical attendance was required.

These facts were accompanied by a recommendatign that the request of the applicant be granted or denied. In every instance, the recommendation of the visitor was carried out by the management of the Bureau, who did not come in contact with the applicant.

The reports of those visitors, in hundreds of instances told most sorrowful tales. In some they showed duplicity and fraud of the most reprehensible character.

MIRE WANT DISCOVERED.

In many cases, the visitors could not find a crumb of bread or a piece of coal in the houses visited. Starvation actually stared the occupants in the face.

In other instances it was discovered that families had made applications under several different names and then sought to impose upon the Bureau by securing what was intended for others.

The reports of these visitors were divided into classes 1, 2 and 3. In the first class were placed those families who were starving. In the second were those who were not so badly off, while in the third were assigned those who, while in a poor condition, needed only special articles, or would not become destitute for a few days at least.

This segregation was done with the intention of affording aid, in so far as the Bureau's supply would permit, to the most needy first. The other classes were supplied in rotation, according as the supply allowed.

It was discovered there was enough goods to satisfy all the people in class No. 1, and then those in No. 2 were looked after, and still the supply was not exhausted. Then class No. 3 was reached, and even those in it were given some goods.

In order to make the donations go around, some of the original packages of potatoes, flour and other articles had to be divided into smaller quantities. This was done in order that the greatest good to the greatest number might be accomplished.

The apportionment was made in the absence of the visitors, who did not want to be accused of using their influence in any manner in the work. To these gentlemen THE TRIBUNE is grateful, because they did their work in a careful and conscientious manner. They are: Eugene Hough, E. J. White, Gene Thurman, E. Jones and A. P. Butler, all save the last mentioned being members of the Federal Labor Union.

The work of apportionment was a heavy one, but an equally onerous task was that of distributing the goods apportioned throughout the city. This was accomplished in the main by the liberality and kindly consideration of the People's Express, the Whitney Transfer Company, Grocer Schulz, THE TRIBUNE'S own vehicles, several private conveyances, besides hand trucks, wheelbarrows and handcarts of all descriptions.

DELIVERING THE GOODS.

The first load was sent out by the Whitney Transfer Company's wagon, which was manned by Patrick Haggerty and E. Sprinkle, who worked splendidly. Four times they returned to the Bureau and departed with the wagon loaded down with provisions and clothing of all kinds.

Soon after the Whitney wagon made its appearance up thundered to the Bureau the two largest vehicles of the People's Express Company. One of these was the great red-covered wagon which is so much admired on the streets. This immense vehicle was in charge of J. Horst.

Following the red wagon, came the great white furniture van also of the People's Express Company. This wagon was manned by John Broderick. This van is the largest of the kind in the State. It is decorated in white and gold, and at first sight suggests an immense circus van. It is used for transporting any kind of goods which require shelter.

Two better men could not have been selected by the company than Horst and Broderick. They had their hearts in the work and did it in a fine manner. The great vans were loaded down with goods, four times, and each time there could not have been less than four tons aboard. These goods were delivered in all parts of the city, and evoked kindly expressions of commendation of the Bureau as they were carted off to aid the poor.

Later in the afternoon it became necessary to impress a third wagon of the People's Company into service, which also rendered efficient aid. The use of the Whitney wagon and the three wagons of the People's were given free of charge, and at a time when teams and wagons were in demand. For this kindness THE TRIBUNE is sincerely grateful. It is especially thankful to President Edward J. Graham, president of the People's Express and Transfer Company, who not only unstintedly placed his stock and wagons at the command of the Bureau, but displayed the keenest interest in the work by visiting the Bureau several times during the day and encouraging his men in the good work.

The relief distributed in this manner reached between 300 and 400 families, and it did a great deal of good.

THE TRIBUNE takes this means of thanking the donors and all those who have, in any manner, contributed to the success of the Bureau, and especially to Walter Burwell, whose assistance was most valuable and appreciated.

Thanks are also due to Paul Schloitzhauer for the free use of his store, 482 Eighth street, in which the Bureau was located, at a time when he could have rented it at a remunerative figure for the holiday trade.

SOME OF THE CHARITABLE.

Among the contributors to the Bureau from Saturday evening to yesterday evening were the following:

A lady, two hats and two skirts; no name, hush, beans, rice; a friend, tea and sugar; Log Cabin Bakery, forty pies; a lady, 507 Eighteenth street, three sacks of wood; two ladies, two jackets; Mr. Sheppard, 100 pounds of beans; Mrs. S. J. Taylor, Linda Vista, girls' clothing; Mrs. Zahn, books and toys; Fay Butler Jr., child's blackboard and a load of other toys; John Stromberg, books and toys; a young lady, a lot of toys; Egbert Stone, five bags of pumpkins and squashes; Mrs. J. E. Finnegan, 1357 Webster street, toys and clothing; Mrs. Morrill, potatoes and apples; Taliesin Evans, books; a lady, ten pounds of dried fruit; a friend, box of potatoes and apples; little Elwin Ball, a box of crackers; F. Holmes, a year of *Youth's Companion*; I. Barnett & Co., 37 San Pablo avenue, box of pears, sack of potatoes, canned fruit and rabbits; a friend, 10 cents.

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BITS OF GOSSIP.

J. T. Hogan, the English professional cricketer, has been engaged by the Maharajah of Patiala to teach the game to his son and other natives.

King Oscar of Sweden is a firm believer in the Darwinian theory of evolution.

The Czarina is grand mistress of the Ladies' Order of St. Catherine, founded by Peter the Great. The badge of the order is the first female decoration in Europe.

In paying for a piece of property in Southwest City, Mo., Mr. Rennels, the purchaser, handed over a $500 bill which he had carried for twenty years.

John Burns of Boston has driven a hack for forty years, and claims to have the record for long driving.

The new Czar ascends the throne at 26, but is by no means the youngest of rulers. That distinction belongs to King Alfonso XIII of Spain, who is only 8. The little Queen of the Netherlands is 14; King Alexander of Servia, 18; the Khedive, 20; and the Emperor of China, 23. The Sultan of Morocco is also a youth, but his exact age is a matter of speculation. Of older rulers than the new Czar there are King Carlos of Portugal, 31; Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria, 33; the Emperor of Germany, 35; the King of Greece, 30; the Emperor of Japan 42; the King of Italy, 50; the Sultan of Turkey, 50; King Charles of Roumania, 55; the King of the Belgians, 59; the Emperor of Austria, 64; the King of Sweden and Norway, 65; the Shah of Persia, 65; Queen Victoria, 75; and the King of Denmark, now the oldest among ruling sovereigns, 76.—*Westminster Budget.*

A New York *Sun* writer recalls an occasion on which Gerster struck the high F. It was such a wonderful feat that when she stopped the house remained silent. People were so overwhelmed that they could not recover in time to applaud. While this death like silence prevailed a German in the top gallery, aroused beyond his self-control, shouted out: "Gott in himmel, dot vas der high F!" That brought down the house, broke the spell under which all were enthralled, and a whirlwind of laughter and applause followed. With her face wreathed in smiles Gerster ran off.

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Last night he appeared in *Richard III* before a most critical audience. It was an audience that was capable of discerning the finest points in the actor's work and at the same time appreciating the subtle phases of the character of "Gloster."

All of Mr. Keene's soliloquies were appreciated and applauded. The star is supported by a fine company. In the tower scene the parting between the Queen and Princes was so tearfully worked up that the participants received a recall.

Tonight Mr. Keene closes his engagement here, appearing in another of his great characterizations, "Hamlet."

The Oriental.

Sam Patch's jump was a great one; so is that of Rabaud. From a small platform at a vast distance from the stage of the Oriental Theater he falls backward, turns in midair and alights upon his feet, while the audience sits breathless. Stinken and Burrell's clog dancing is the best ever witnessed here. Wylde and Morrell's "Wealth and Poverty" is an operetta that is pathetic and full of human interest. Mezella, as an equilibrist, is a marvel, and George Harrison, John Linton, Oro and Troxell and Bertha Kellogg make up a programme that is one of marked excellence.

Monday, December 31st, in addition to a well-selected vaudeville company, the celebrated melodrama, *The Operator*, with the Newell Brothers, the only twin stars in the world, will be presented.

The People's.

Hundreds were turned away from the People's Theater last night and the packed house indicated the popularity of the holiday attraction now on the stage of this place of entertainment.

That this bright and sparkling burlesque, *Aladdin*, should have met with the success already recorded is not to be wondered at when the merits of the production are considered. A more attractive spectacular entertainment has seldom been staged in any theater. Popular prices have been maintained, notwithstanding the enormous expense entailed by the staging of this elaborate piece. The result has been a surprise on all hands.

The Baldwin.

At the Baldwin Theater the great extravaganza, *Aladdin Jr.*, is nightly packing the house. There need be but little surprise at this statement, because the attraction in every respect is on the grandest scale imaginable. It will run all this week.

The California.

At the California Theater Sadie Martinot has scored a great success. The audience goes wild with appreciation, and the critics are declaring her to be one of the finest comediennes that has played at this theater. She is supported by Max Figman and a fine company, the play being *The Passport*.

The Orpheum.

The attraction at the Orpheum this week is as great as those drawing cards which have packed the house for months past. As a consequence, there is no chance to secure a seat after a certain hour in the evening. The Christmas business was phenomenally large. Among the stars are Lydia Yeamans Titus, Frederick J. Titus, John and Nellie McCarthy, Alice Raymond and Cariedo.

The Tivoli.

At the Tivoli *Lalla Rookh*, with its mirth, music and specialties, is attracting large and delighted audiences. The music is of the sweetest order and the transformation scenes are novel and gorgeous. The piece will run all the week.

Morosco's.

At Morosco's Grand Opera House the sterling melodrama *The Silver King* occupies the boards. It is mounted in a most superb manner and is finely acted.

The Alcazar.

At the Alcazar Theater Haverly's Company of black-faced artists have established a permanent home of minstrelsy, which is thronged every night. The company is a strong one, and is strengthened from time to time by noted men in the business. *A-lad-in or the Wonderful Scamp* is the closing feature.

Stockwell's.

At Stockwell's Theater *The Wolves of New York* is on the boards, with Leonard Grover Jr. in the leading comedy role.

Bush Street Theater.

The White Woman, with Lillian Bedard in the title role, is the attraction at the Bush Street Theater.

Rae Goes Free.

George Rae, the man who was suspected of being one of the Judson robbers was discharged from custody, Christmas Eve by Judge Shaw. The examination consumed several days.

Are free from all crude and irritating matter. Concentrated medicine only. Carter's Little Liver Pills. Very small, very easy to take; no pain; no griping; no purging. Try them.

ANGLO-ASTORS.

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All Affiliations Now Are in Foreign Lands.

The Recent Demise Proved a Great Shock to Society.

NEW YORK, December 26.—A special dispatch to the *World* from London says:

The strict seclusion observed by the Astor family at Cliveden during the past three months has been much discussed in the village of Taplow. The Astors preserved a secrecy touching Mr. Astor's illness which is usual only with royalties, and it is stated that far less was known about the affairs of the mansion in the vicinity than when it was tenanted by the Duke of Westminster and others, who live only in history.

The *World* correspondent learned, however, that the principal feature of the deceased lady's illness was a profound depression, which could not be dispelled, rendering her case almost hopeless from the first.

Mrs. Astor suffered from a severe illness early in the year. Since then, her health has never been robust, but it transpired only about three weeks ago, owing to the visits of a leading London doctor, that she was again sick. It is said now that, though her physical ailments were complicated, they might have been amenable to treatment, if the patient had seconded the efforts of her doctors by any attempt to fight against them.

Death came somewhat suddenly and quite unexpectedly, it being believed both by the family and the physicians that there was no immediate danger, though little hope of ultimate recovery was entertained.

The husband was completely prostrated by the blow, weakened as he was by apprehension which had oppressed him sorely. For several weeks he had been seen nowhere in society, though he rarely missed going to attend business at his handsome office in Thames Embankment, London, a few hours each day.

It has been Mr. Astor's custom to see his lawyers and accountants almost every day and to confer with editors of his various publications. He often dictates articles to shorthand clerks and, indeed, he exhibits a business shrewdness and capacity for details which long ago convinced all brought in contact with him that had he not inherited a fortune he certainly would have made one.

His wife's illness and death have accentuated Mr. Astor's increasing distaste for social pleasures and practically made him a recluse.

When able to get about Mrs. Astor took an active personal interest in the extensive alterations of Cliveden, which were effected mainly according to her ideas as Taplow people tell. On recovering from her first illness she had all the work accomplished during her absence done over again at great expense.

Though the Astors spent much money in their immediate neighborhood, the people express disappointment that they did not entertain on as lavish a scale as they anticipated. The house seems to have impressed the people of the neighborhood as being pervaded by an atmosphere of gloom very different from what it was in the hands of its former tenants.

It is now common rumor in Taplow that Mr. Astor will leave Cliveden, which may be repurchased by the Duke of Westminster, who always regretted selling it.

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'Twas Brought to Many Homes:

Hundreds of Families Made Happy.

"The Tribune's" Santa Claus on His Rounds.

How the Distribution of the Donations Was Made.

The goods collected by THE TRIBUNE'S Christmas Relief Bureau were distributed among the poor yesterday, and the event aroused a great deal of interest.

The distribution began early in the morning and, notwithstanding that it was conducted as fast as possible and the employment of as many people as could work in the Bureau, the last delivery was not accomplished until late in the evening.

These final deliveries, however, were made to families residing in the more distant parts of the city and suburbs, and by far the greater number of needy ones had been served in time for their Christmas dinne.

The distribution of the goods took place from the Bureau, 452 Eighth street, and was witnessed throughout the day by a throng of interested people. Some of these onlookers were desirous of securing aid themselves. Some were among those who had already made application for relief, and others were people beyond the reach of want, who lent to the work of relieving the poor the encouragement of their presence.

In the work of distribution six men were engaged. The great piles of goods were apportioned among the applicants, each share being placed on a spot on the floor, tagged with the applicant's name, address and the district to which he belonged.

These individual piles were made up of coal, coke or wood, flour, meal of various kinds, sugar, tea, coffee, and clothing, in accordance with the reports furnished the Bureau by a corps of visitors, who conscientiously reported upon every case referred to them. These inspectors were selected with special reference to their knowledge of the city, their understanding of the needs of the poor, and their disposition to report impartially upon each and every case referred to them without respect to race, creed or any other extraneous consideration.

The statements of these visitors gave information on the following facts regarding the applicants, all of which were learned at the homes of those desiring assistance: Names, place of residence, single or married, length of residence in Oakland, occupation, reputation, how long out of employment, number and age of the children in the family, number of members of the family working, whether any were sick, what other sources of relief were enjoyed, kind of food, clothing and fuel needed and whether or not medical attendance was required.

These facts were accompanied by a recommendatigo that the request of the applicant be granted or denied. In every instance, the recommendation of the visitor was carried out by the management of the Bureau, who did not come in contact with the applicant.

The reports of those visitors, in hundreds of instances told most sorrowful tales. In some they showed duplicity and fraud of the most reprehensible character.

DIRE WANT DISCOVERED.

In many cases, the visitors could not find a crumb of bread or a piece of coal in the houses visited. Starvation actually stared the occupants in the face.

In other instances it was discovered that families had made applications under several different names and then sought to impose upon the Bureau by securing what was intended for others.

The reports of these visitors were divided into classes 1, 2 and 3. In the first class were placed those families who were starving. In the second were those who were not so badly off, while in the third were assigned those who, while in a poor condition, needed only special articles, or would not become destitute for a few days at least.

This segregation was done with the intention of affording aid, in so far as the Bureau's supply would permit, to the most needy first. The other classes were supplied in rotation, according as the supply allowed.

It was discovered there was enough goods to satisfy all the people in class No. 1, and then those in No. 2 were looked after, and still the supply was not exhausted. Then class No. 3 was reached, and even those in it were given some goods.

In order to make the donations go around, some of the original packages of potatoes, flour and other articles had to be divided into smaller quantities. This was done in order that the greatest good to the greatest number might be accomplished.

The apportionment was made in the absence of the visitors, who did not want to be accused of using their influence in any manner in the work. To these gentlemen THE TRIBUNE is grateful, because they did their work in a careful and conscientious manner. They are: Eugene Hough, E. J. White, Gene Thurman, E. Jones and A. P. Butler, all save the last mentioned being members of the Federal Labor Union.

The work of apportionment was a heavy one, but an equally onerous task was that of distributing the goods apportioned throughout the city. This was accomplished in the main by the liberality and kindly consideration of the People's Express, the Whitney Transfer Company, Grocer Schulz. THE TRIBUNE'S own vehicles, several private conveyances, besides hand trucks, wheelbarrows and handcarts of all descriptions.

DELIVERING THE GOODS.

The first load was sent out by the Whitney Transfer Company's wagon, which was manned by Patrick Haggerty and E. Sprinkle, who worked splendidly. Four times they returned to the Bureau and departed with the wagon loaded down with provisions and clothing of all kinds.

Soon after the Whitney wagon made its appearance up thundered to the Bureau the two largest vehicles of the People's Express Company. One of these was the great red-covered wagon which is so much admired on the streets. This immense vehicle was in charge of J. Horst.

Following the red wagon, came the great white furniture van also of the People's Express Company. This wagon was manned by John Broderick. This van is the largest of the kind in the State. It is decorated in white and gold, and at first sight suggests an immense circus van. It is used for transporting any kind of goods which require shelter.

Two better men could not have been selected by the company than Horst and Broderick. They had their hearts in the work and did it in a fine manner. The great vans were loaded down with goods, four times, and each time there could not have been less than four tons aboard. These goods were delivered in all parts of the city, and evoked kindly expressions of commendation of the Bureau as they were carted off to aid the poor.

Later in the afternoon it became necessary to impress a third wagon of the People's Company into service, which also rendered efficient aid. The use of the Whitney wagon and the three wagons of the People's were given free of charge, and at a time when teams and wagons were in demand. For this kindness THE TRIBUNE is sincerely grateful. It is especially thankful to President Edward J. Graham, president of the People's Express and Transfer Company, who not only unstintedly placed his stock and wagons at the command of the Bureau, but displayed the keenest interest in the work by visiting the Bureau several times during the day and encouraging his men in the good work.

The relief distributed in this manner reached between 300 and 400 families, and it did a great deal of good.

THE TRIBUNE takes this means of thanking the donors and all those who have, in any manner, contributed to the success of the Bureau, and especially to Walter Burwell, whose assistance was most valuable and appreciated.

Thanks are also due to Paul Schlotzhauer for the free use of his store, 452 Eighth street, in which the Bureau was located, at a time when he could have rented it at a remunerative figure for the holiday trade.

SOME OF THE CHARITABLE.

Among the contributors to the Bureau from Saturday evening to yesterday evening were the following:

A lady, two hats and two skirts; no name, mush, beans, rice; a friend, tea and sugar; Log Cabin Bakery, forty pies; a lady, 507 Eighteenth street, three sacks of wood; two ladies, two jackets; Mr. Sheppard, 100 pounds of beans; Mrs. S. J. Taylor, Linda Vista, girls' clothing; Mrs. Zohn, books and toys; Fay Butler Jr., child's blackboard and a load of other toys; John Stromberg, books and toys; a young lady, a lot of toys; Egbert Stone, five bags of pumpkins and squashes; Mrs. J. E. Finnegan, 1357 Webster street, toys and clothing; Mrs. Gortill, potatoes and apples; Talesin Evans, books; a lady, ten pounds of dried fruit; a friend, box of potatoes and apples; little Elwin Ball, a box of crackers; P. Holmes, a year of *Youth's Companion*; I. Barnett & Co., 37 San Pablo avenue, box of pears, sack of potatoes, canned fruit and rabbits; a friend, 10 cents.

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BITS OF GOSSIP.

J. T. Hogan, the English professional cricketer, has been engaged by the Maharajah of Patiala to teach the game to his son and other natives.

King Oscar of Sweden is a firm believer in the Darwinian theory of evolution.

The Czarina is grand mistress of the Ladies' Order of St. Catherine, founded by Peter the Great. The badge of the order is the first female decoration in Europe.

In paying for a piece of property in Southwest City, Mo., Mr. Rennels, the purchaser, handed over a $500 bill which he had carried for twenty years.

John Burns of Boston has driven a hack for forty years, and claims to have the record for long driving.

The new Czar ascends the throne at 26, but is by no means the youngest of rulers. That distinction belongs to King Alfonso XIII of Spain, who is only 8. The little Queen of the Netherlands is 14; King Alexander of Servia, 18; the Khedive, 20; and the Emperor of China, 23. The Sultan of Morocco is also a youth, but his exact age is a matter of speculation. Of older rulers than the new Czar there are King Carlos of Portugal, 31; Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria, 33; the Emperor of Germany, 35; the King of Greece, 39; the Emperor of Japan 42; the King of Italy, 50; the Sultan of Turkey, 50; King Charles of Roumania, 55; the King of the Belgians, 59; the Emperor of Austria, 64; the King of Sweden and Norway, 65; the Shah of Persia, 65; Queen Victoria, 75; and the King of Denmark, now the oldest among ruling sovereigns, 76.—*Westminster Budget.*

A New York *Sun* writer recalls an occasion on which Gerster struck the high F. It was such a wonderful feat that when she stopped the house remained silent. People were so overwhelmed that they could not recover in time to applaud. While this death like silence prevailed a German in the top gallery, aroused beyond his self-control, shouted out: "Gott in himmel, dot vas der high F!" That brought down the house, broke the spell under which all were enthralled, and a whirlwind of laughter and applause followed. With her face wreathed in smiles Gerster ran off.

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The Oriental.

Sam Patch's jump was a great one; so is that of Rabnud. From a small platform at a vast distance from the stage of the Oriental Theater he falls backward, turns in midair and alights upon his feet, while the audience sits breathless. Sturken and Burrell's clog dancing is the best ever witnessed here. Wylie and Morrell's "Wealth and Poverty" is an operatta that is pathetic and full of human interest. Mazelia, as an equilibrist, is a marvel, and George Harrison, Julia Linton, Oro and Troxell and Bertha Kelloog make up a programme that is one of marked excellence.

Monday, December 31st, in addition to a well-selected vaudeville company, the celebrated melodrama, *The Operator*, with the Newell Brothers, the only twin stars in the world, will be presented.

The People's.

Hundreds were turned away from the People's Theater last night and the packed house indicated the popularity of the holiday attraction now on the stage of this place of entertainment.

That this bright and sparkling burlesque, *Aladdin*, should have met with the success already recorded is not to be wondered at when the merits of the production are considered. A more attractive spectacular entertainment has seldom been staged in any theater. Popular prices have been maintained, notwithstanding the enormous expense entailed by the staging of this elaborate piece. The result has been a surprise on all hands.

The Baldwin.

At the Baldwin Theater the great extravaganza, *Aladdin Jr.*, is nightly packing the house. There need be but little surprise at this statement, because the attraction in every respect is on the grandest scale imaginable. It will run all this week.

The California.

At the California Theater Sadie Martinot has scored a great success. The audience goes wild with appreciation, and the critics are declaring her to be one of the finest comediennes that has played at this theater. She is supported by Max Figman and a fine company, the play being *The Passport*.

The Orpheum.

The attraction at the Orpheum this week is as great as those drawing cards which have packed the house for months past. As a consequence, there is no chance to secure a seat after a certain hour in the evening. The Christmas business was phenomenally large. Among the stars are Lydia Yeamans Titus, Frederick J. Titus, John and Nellie McCarthy, Alice Raymond and Caicedo.

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The Alcazar.

At the Alcazar Theater Haverly's Company of black-faced artists have established a permanent home of minstrelsy, which is thronged every night. The company is a strong one, and is strengthened from time to time by noted men in the business. *A-lad-in or the Wonderful Scamp* is the closing feature.

Stockwell's.

At Stockwell's Theater *The Wolves of New York* is on the boards, with Leonard Grover Jr. in the leading comedy role.

Bush Street Theater.

The White Woman, with Lillian Bedard in the title role, is the attraction at the Bush Street Theater.

Rae Goes Free.

George Rae, the man who was suspected of being one of the Judson robbers was discharged from custody, Christmas Eve by Judge Shaw. The examination consumed several days.

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The *World* correspondent learned, however, that the principal feature of the deceased lady's illness was a profound depression, which could not be dispelled, rendering her case almost hopeless from the first.

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Harris Weymouth to Pearl F. Pitcher, [illegible]

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Michael Allen to Bridget Allen, lot on south line of Laurel or Twenty-fifth street, 450 feet west from Telegraph avenue, west 50 by south 135, being lot 15, block O, Kelsey tract, Oakland; gift.

Nancy M. Millett to George W. Taft, piece of land beginning at a point where center line of Pagoda place intersects the center line of Ross street, thence northwest 219.03, northeast 441.32, southeast 219.75, southwest 459 to beginning, being portion of plot 73, Rancho V. and D. Peralta, Oakland township; $10.

Edward E. Young to Belle Hoots, wife of John A., lot 10 and east ½ of lot 11, block A, Broadway and Telegraph Avenue tract, Oakland township; $10.

Charles A. and Alice C. Bailey to Carlton A. Bierce, lot on north line of Francisco street, 162 feet west from Grant, west 50 by north 135:1½, being portion of lot 9, block 2, State University Homestead Association No. 4, Berkeley; $5.

James T. McKenney to Martha J. McKenney, lot on west line of Benton street, 150 feet south from Pacific avenue, south 37:6 by west 150, Alameda; $1.

Henry, George, John and Charles Weber and Louisa Krehmke to Katharina Weber, lot on north line of Central avenue, 100 feet east from Twelfth or Bay street, east 37:6 by north 100, being lot 23 and west ½ of lot 25, block 19, Fitch tract, Alameda; gift.

Peter Weber to same, same, Alameda, gift.

Joao A. and Maria M. Amoral to Orrion O. Slayton, piece of land containing 53.12 acres, beginning at a point on the south boundary line of survey No. 31, lands of ex-Mission San Jose, distant southwest 6.96 chains from Station No. 1 of survey No. 31, thence southwest 15.70 chains, southwest 3 chains, northwest 25.05 chains, northeast 23 chains, northeast 10.35 chains, southeast 30.40 chains to beginning, being portion of survey No. 31, ex-Mission San Jose, Washington township; $5.

Charles and Minnie Rathke to Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, right of easement over a strip of land bounded west and north by county road between Sunol, Dublin and county road running between first mentioned county road and village of Pleasanton, and upon east and south sides by dividing line between lands of first and second party and dividing line of first party and lands of Chadbourne, Murray township; grant.

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9:00 A	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Galt, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville, and Red Bluff...........	3:45 P
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*9:30 A	Peters and Milton......	*6:52 P
12:55P	Niles, San Jose and Livermore...........	8:15 A
4:29 P	Martinez, Napa, San Ramon, Vallejo, Calistoga, Santa Rosa........	8:50 A
4:39 P	Benicia, Vacaville, Esparto, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento......	10:20 A
4:58 P	Niles, San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, Modesto, Merced and Fresno...........	6:52 P
5:35 P	Los Angeles Express for Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles....	10:10 A
6:23 P	Haywards, Niles and San Jose...........	7:15 A
6:30 P	European Mail for Ogden and East.........	9:20 A
‡7:30 P	Vallejo.............	§7:20 P
7:30 P	Oregon Express for Sacramento, Marysville, Chico, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East...........	10:20 A

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THE INDIANS.

Reports Made by Agents of the Government.

Suggestions Made Regarding the Rations.

Whisky Is a Great Hindrance to Their Prosperity.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—General complaint against the issuance of Government rations to the Indians is made in the annual reports of agents.

Captain P. H. Ray of the Shoshone Agency, Wyoming, says: "They will never become self-supporting as long as the Government gives them a semblance of support. Neither can they begin to accumulate property as long as the supply of the necessaries of life is solely in the hands of white traders."

Another factor retarding the development complained of by Captain Ray is the domination of chiefs being allowed to dictate to agents as to the issue of annuities and affairs of the agency.

The removal of the troublesome chiefs is recommended.

The Shoshones are regarded as communists, who are loath to take up any untried pursuit.

Their agent recommends that the ration issue, except to the indigent and helpless, be gradually discontinued and the money now used for rations be devoted to the payment of Indian labor.

The international treaty of the Government in regard to seal hunting in the North Pacific and Bering sea has worked a great hardship to the Indians at Neah Bay Agency, Washington.

These Indians cannot agree upon a head man, or chief, and consequently are divided among themselves. They regard the failure to select some one as disadvantageous to them. Considerable opposition to the work of the commission preparing lands on the Puyallup reservation for sale has been shown by the minority of these Indians, but the faction is evidently influenced by outside parties interested in having all restrictions removed.

The progress made at Tulalip agency, Wash., indicates that within a few years these Indians will become self-supporting and independent of Government aid.

Some definite action is urged upon the department to restore to the Yakimas their rights at their accustomed fisheries on the Columbia river, Washington, the dispute over which has resulted in considerable trouble.

The Yakimas refuse to take allotments, but have marked off a line which they claim as their reservation in common. They are reported in bad financial condition and in great need of Government assistance.

"Whisky," says Agent Erwin, "is the greatest hindrance to the Indian prosperity. There is immense traffic in alcohol and vile decoctions carried on with them and one murder and two violent deaths during the year is charged to whisky."

REPLY TO CORBETT.

Bob Fitzsimmons Is Still Anxious to Meet the Champion.

CHICAGO, December 26.—Champion Corbett's recent remarks, which were derogatory to the Edison Kinetoscope offer, are not taken kindly by Bob Fitzsimmons or his manager, Captain Glori. Both discussed the letter freely and were at a loss to understand the attitude taken by Corbett.

"The Edison people have assured us that they could take the contest on the kinetoscope, the figures to be life size, and that they could take three-minute rounds and would want only one minute between rounds," said the lanky boxer from kangaroo land. "They say they have the machine perfected to that extent. Corbett talks about Jacksonville as the battleground, but I do not see how he can figure it, unless he has some good private information from his friends there. He insinuates, in an uncalled-for manner, that I do not want what Queensberry rules call for, but he need not be alarmed on that score. I am just as anxious to box as he is, and perhaps a little more so."

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Cereals

FLOUR—Net cash—Family extra, $3 40@3 50 ℔ bbl; Superfine, $2 10@2 55. Bakers' extra $3 30@3 40.

WHEAT—No 1 Shipping 86¼@87½c; choice to fancy, 88¾c, good to choice White Milling, 92½@97½c.

OATS—Feed, good to choice, 85@90c; No 1 92½c@$1 00, choice to fancy $1 02½@1 10, Surprise $1 05@1 15, Milling, $1 02½@1 12½, Norway Black, $1 15@1 30; Gray, 92½c@$1 02½; Red, $1 07½@1 16.

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, 80@81¼c; No 1 Feed, 82½@83¾c, extra choice, 85c, Brewing 90@95c.

CORN—Small yellow ctl, $1 20@1 22½, Large yellow, $1 10@1 15, White, $1 17½@1 25.

RYE—95@97½c ℔ ctl.

BRAN—No 1 $11@12 ℔ ton.

MIDDLINGS—Fair to good, ℔ ton, $16 50@17; No 1, $17@17 50, extra choice, $18@19.

BUCKWHEAT—90c@$1 ℔ ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—$19@19 50 ℔ ton

HOPS—[illegible] ℔ lb, according to quality.

BEANS—Large White, $2 15 @ 2 50; Small White $2 [illegible] 50; Pea and Tree Beans, $2 25 @2 50, Butter, $1 [illegible]@1 90, Lima, $1 [illegible]@1 25, Red, $1 [illegible]@1 60, Pink, $1 10@1 35; Bayou, $1 75 @1 90. Black eyed Beans, $3 00@3 25, Red Kidneys, $[illegible] ℔ ctl.

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard ℔ ctl, $2 25@2 40; native, $1 75@2, Canary, 5@5c for California [illegible] for imported, Hemp 3¼@4¼c; Flax, $2@ 2½c, Rape 1¾@2½c, Timothy, 5@6c, Alfalfa, 7@7½c for California and 8@9c for Utah.

HAY—Wheat, $[illegible]. Clover $8@10 50, Wild Oat, $8 50@10 50, Alfalfa, $8@9 50, Wheat and Oat, $9@11 Tame Oat, $9@10 50 Barley, $8 50@[illegible] Stock, $6@7 50; Compressed, $9@12.

STRAW—60@70c ℔ bale

Fruits and Vegetables.

FRUIT—Limes, bch $1 25@2 50; Apples, bx. ordinary, [illegible]; fancy, 75c@$1; Pears, box common [illegible]@50c; Mexican Limes, $4@4 50; Lemons, California, common, $2 00@3, fancy, $[illegible], Santa Barbara, fancy, $[illegible]; Pineapples, dozen, $3@5; common $1@2; Cape Cod Cranberries, bbl. $11; Persimmons, box [illegible], Oranges, Washington Navels, $2 50@ 3 50 Seedlings, $1 25@2 Florida Oranges, $2 75@3; Toroto Oranges, $[illegible] 50; Lady Apples $[illegible]

VEGETABLES—Beets, sk 50@60c, Garlic, lb, 2@3½c; Cabbage ctl, 60@70c, Cauliflower, doz 60@70c Parsnips, sk, $1 [illegible] Turnips, [illegible] 7c; Carrots, [illegible]@50, Tomatoes, [illegible]c Celery, doz. 40@50c; Green Peppers, bx, 35@50c; Los Angeles Green Peas, lb, 6@10c; String Beans 6@ 9c; Mushrooms 5@20c; Rhubarb, bx, 75c@$1.

POTATOES—Good to choice, ctl, Early Rose, 25@35c, River Reds, 30@35c Burbanks, River, 25@45c Oregon, 60@75c, Salinas, [illegible]; Sweet Potatoes, ctl, 50c@$1; New Potatoes, lb, 2@3½c

ONIONS—Good to choice Silverskins, 40@50c ℔ ctl.

Dried Fruits

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, ℔ lb, sun dried, 4@ 6½c, evaporated, 5@7½c, Apricots, bleached, 8@11c, Moorpark, 8@9½c sun dried, 6½@7c Peaches, bleached, unpeeled, 6@8½c; peeled boxes, 10@12c; sun dried, 5 @ 6½c; Plums pitted, 4 @ 6c; do, unpitted, 1@2c; French Prunes sks, ℔ lb 50 to 60, 5½c; 60 to 70, 5c, 70 to 80 4½c; 80 to 90, 4c; 90 to 100, 3½c; boxes, 5@5½c, ungraded, 2@4c; Pears, sliced, 1@5c; quartered, 4@5c. Figs, Smyrna, ℔ lb, 10@12c; California boxes, 75c@$1, sks, 2@3c ℔ lb.

Dairy Produce and Poultry.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ℔ lb, 21@23c; fancy dairy, 18@19c; choice, 15@17c; fair to good, 12@14c; pickled roll, new, 16@18c; firkin, new, 14@17c; dairy packed tubs, 16@19c; creamery in tubs, 19@20c.

EGGS—California, choice ranch, dozen, 32½@ 35c; store, 24@25c; Eastern, 24@25c; Duck Eggs, nominal.

CHEESE—Mild, new, ℔ lb, 8@10c; California Young America, choice to fancy, 8@11c; New York Cream, 13@14c; Western, 11@13c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, doz. $3 50@4 00, young, $4 00@5 00; fryers, $3 50@4, broilers, large, $4 50@5; small, $3@3 50; Hens, doz. $4 @4, Ducks, old, $4 50@5 50; young, $4 50@5 50 Turkeys, live, Hens, lb, 9@10c; Gobblers, 9@10c; dressed, 9@11c Geese, pair, $1 50@ 175; Goslings, $1 50@1 75, Pigeons, doz, $1 25@ 1 50, old, $1

GAME—Quail, $1@1 25 ℔ doz, Ducks—Teal, $1 small, $1, Mallard, $2 50; Canvasback, $3@[illegible] Sprig, $1 50@1 75, Widgeon, $1; Brant, $1 25@1 50; Geese—Gray, $2 50, White $1@1 25; Hare, $1@1 25, Rabbits $1 25@1 50, Snipe, common, $1@1 25, do English, $2.

San Francisco Meat Market

No particular change in any description. Wholesale rates for dressed stock from slaughterers are as follows

BEEF—First quality 5c@5½c; second quality, 4@4½c, third do 3@3½c ℔ lb

VEAL—Large, 5@6c small, 7c ℔ lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 5½@6c, Ewes, 4@5½c ℔ lb.

LAMB—5@6c ℔ lb.

PORK—Live hogs, 3¾@4c for heavy and medium grain fed, and 4c ℔ lb for small fat; dressed do 5½@6½c, ℔ lb.

RETAIL MARKET.

The following quotations are the prices prevailing in the Oakland retail market.

Produce and Poultry			
Eggs, California ℔ doz	35	@	40
Butter, choice ℔ roll	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Turkeys, ℔ lb	[illegible]	@	18
Chickens, broilers apiece	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Chickens, hens, apiece	55	@	[illegible]
Chickens Roosters, apiece	50	@	70
Geese, apiece	75	@	1 00
Vegetables and Fruit.			
Potatoes ℔ lb	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
Summer squash ℔ lb	[illegible]	@	4
String Beans ℔ lb	[illegible]	@	7
Tomatoes, ℔ lb	6	@	7
Strawberries, ℔ box	[illegible]	@	15
Raspberries	[illegible]	@	10
Green Apples ℔ basket	50	@	[illegible]
Grapes, ℔ box	75	@	1 00

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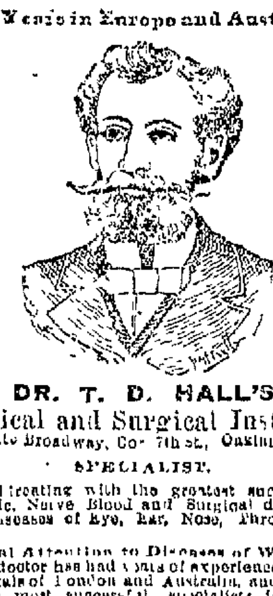

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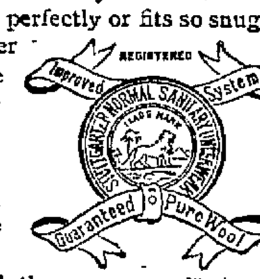

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Application for Change of Name.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the application of Lilly Magnin for change of name

To the Honorable, the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, the petition of Lilly Magnin respectfully shows.

That your petitioner is and for a long time past immediately preceding the filing of this petition has been a bona fide resident of the County of Alameda, State of California, over the age of twenty one years

That your petitioner was born at San Leandro, State of California.

That the present name of your petitioner is Lilly Magnin and that the name the petitioner wishes to assume in the place and stead of Lilly Magnin is Lilly Hesser, the maiden name of petitioner.

That the reason why petitioner wishes to change her name is that she has obtained a divorce from her husband, one Joseph Magnin, and does not wish to be known in the future as Mrs. Lilly Magnin

That the father of your petitioner is now deceased and the names of the near relatives of your petitioner are as follows, to wit Mrs. A. Hesser, mother of petitioner, and Miss Minna Hesser, sister of petitioner, both residing at San Francisco, California, and Mrs. Clara Herscher, sister of petitioner, residing at San Leandro, California

Wherefore your petitioner prays that this Honorable Court will fix time and place for the hearing of this application and upon such hearing will make an order changing your petitioner's name from Lilly Magnin to Lilly Hesser

Dated December 20, 1894

LILLY MAGNIN, Petitioner.

JAS. P. SWEENEY Esq., Attorney for Petitioner, No 217 Sansome Street, San Francisco.

CITATION.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California, Department No. 1—Probate

In the matter of the estate of William A. Aldrich deceased.

Citation.

The People of the State of California to George Albert Aldrich, Annie Aldrich Barton, Helen Aldrich Dunning, William Holt Aldrich, Minnie C. Aldrich, Helen H. Aldrich, Bernice B. Aldrich, Aileen Aldrich, William A. Aldrich and Swinton D. Aldrich, Greeting

By order of this court, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to appear before this court at the courtroom of Department No. 1 thereof, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland County of Alameda, on Monday, the twenty eighth (28th) day of January, A. D. 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day then and there to show cause, if any you have why the accounts of Annie Aldrich Barton Helen Aldrich Dunning, Arthur A. Smith and Joseph M. Quay, as Trustees created in and by the last will of said William A. Aldrich, deceased, presented to and filed in this court on the 15th day of September, A. D. 1894, should not be allowed and settled

Said accounts embrace the period commencing on the 31st day of May, 1893, and ending on the 31st day of July, 1894, and are now on file in this court, and are hereby referred to

Witness, the Honorable W. E. GREENE Judge of the Superior Court in and for the County of Alameda with the seal of said court affixed, this 20th day of November, A. D. 1894.

Attest

[SEAL OF SUPERIOR COURT OF ALAMEDA COUNTY] JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk. By ROBT. C. BLACH, Deputy Clerk.

A. N. DROWN, Attorney for Trustees, Rooms 2-4, No. 104 Sutter street, San Francisco, Cal.

MEETING NOTICES

Annual Meeting Stockholders.

FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' SAVINGS Bank of Oakland, California.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland California, will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 1104 Broadway City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 8th day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. By order of EDSON F. ADAMS, President.

JAMES C. McKEE, Secretary

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California will be held at the banking house, southeast corner Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1895 at 2 o'clock P. M.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, OAKland Cal., December 15, 1894 The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth street Oakland, on Monday, January 14, 1895, at three o'clock P. M.

ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

Annual Meeting Stockholders Union National Bank.

THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the Corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 1 o'clock P. M.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

Stockholders' Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner Fourteenth and Broadway streets, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 P. M.

W. G. PALMANTEER, Vice-President.

C. R. YATES, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MOUNTain View Cemetery Association will be held in the parlors of the Central Bank, at 3 P. M. on Monday, January 7, 1895.

R. P. OUTRAM, Secretary.

Oakland December 21, 1894.

LEGAL.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California. In the matter of Martin M. Samson, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Martin M. Samson having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Martin M. Samson is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda County, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $5500 conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Martin M. Samson, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this Court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association, for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, Department No. 1, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the County of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of the day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 12th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN, Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: Filed December 12, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE, County Clerk.

By N. C. STURTEVANT, Deputy Clerk.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California. In the matter of Mary Josephine Cordano, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Mary Josephine Cordano having filed in this court her petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that she is an insolvent debtor, the said Mary Josephine Cordano is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda county, be, and he is, hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $500, conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Mary Josephine Cordano, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution and of all her deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of her estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to her or to any person, firm, corporation or association for her use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

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And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 14th, 1894

F. B. OGDEN, Judge of the Superior Court.

HIRAM A. LUTTRELL, Attorney for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—SAVINGS AND LOAN Society, 101 Montgomery street, corner Sutter, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday January 2, 1895.

CYRUS W. CARMANY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — THE OAKLAND Bank of Savings, Oakland Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on ALL savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2 1895 Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal, from and after January 1, 1895.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, 532 California street, corner of Webb—For the half year ending with the 31st day of December, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d of January, 1895.

LOVELL WHITE, Cashier.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, Cal.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—FOR THE SIX months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d day of January, 1895 Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest

JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, OAKLAND, California—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1894 at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term accounts, payable on and after January 2, 1895.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—CENTRAL BANK, Oakland, Cal., for the six months ending December 31st, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term deposits, payable on and after January 1, 1895. Said dividend, if not called for, to be added to principal and draw like interest from January 1, 1895

C. R. YATES, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — THE GERMAN Savings and Loan Society, 526 California street, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum on term Deposits and four and one-sixth (4 1/6) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2d, 1895.

GEO. TOURNY, Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of ALICE A. DAVIS, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, executrix of the estate of Alice A. Davis, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix at the office of Chickering, Thomas & Gregory and Gerstle & Sloss, 206 Sansome street, San Francisco, Cal., which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Alice A. Davis, deceased.

MARY E. EVANS,

Executrix of the estate of Alice A. Davis, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 3, 1894.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of HENRY BLAKE, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, administrator of the estate of Henry Blake, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at Mills building, corner Montgomery and Bush streets, Room 36, fourth floor, San Francisco, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

F. L. BENJAMIN,

Administrator of the estate of Henry Blake, deceased.

Dated at San Francisco, November 27, 1894.

THE INDIANS.

Reports Made by Agents of the Government.

Suggestions Made Regarding the Rations.

Whisky Is a Great Hindrance to Their Prosperity.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—General complaint against the issuance of Government rations to the Indians is made in the annual reports of agents.

Captain P. H. Ray of the Shoshone Agency, Wyoming, says: "They will never become self-supporting as long as the Government gives them a semblance of support. Neither can they begin to accumulate property as long as the supply of the necessaries of life is solely in the hands of white traders."

Another factor retarding the development complained of by Captain Ray is the domination of chiefs being allowed to dictate to agents as to the issue of annuities and affairs of the agency.

The removal of the troublesome chiefs is recommended.

The Shoshones are regarded as communists, who are loath to take up any untried pursuit.

Their agent recommends that the ration issue, except to the indigent and helpless, be gradually discontinued and the money now used for rations be devoted to the payment of Indian labor.

The international treaty of the Government in regard to seal hunting in the North Pacific and Bering sea has worked a great hardship to the Indians at Neah Bay Agency, Washington.

These Indians cannot agree upon a head man, or chief, and consequently are divided among themselves. They regard the failure to select some one as disadvantageous to them. Considerable opposition to the work of the commission preparing lands on the Puyallup reservation for sale has been shown by the minority of these Indians, but the faction is evidently influenced by outside parties interested in having all restrictions removed.

The progress made at Tulalip agency, Wash., indicates that within a few years these Indians will become self-supporting and independent of Government aid.

Some definite action is urged upon the department to restore to the Yakimas their rights at their accustomed fisheries on the Columbia river, Washington, the dispute over which has resulted in considerable trouble.

The Yakimas refuse to take allotments, but have marked off a line which they claim as their reservation in common. They are reported in bad financial condition and in great need of Government assistance.

"Whisky," says Agent Erwin, "is the greatest hindrance to the Indian prosperity. There is immense traffic in alcohol and vile decoctions carried on with them and one murder and two violent deaths during the year is charged to whisky."

REPLY TO CORBETT.

Bob Fitzsimmons Is Still Anxious to Meet the Champion.

CHICAGO, December 26.—Champion Corbett's recent remarks, which were derogatory to the Edison Kinetoscope offer, are not taken kindly by Bob Fitzsimmons or his manager, Captain Glori. Both discussed the letter freely and were at a loss to understand the attitude taken by Corbett.

"The Edison people have assured us that they could take the contest on the kinetoscope, the figures to be life size, and that they could take three-minute rounds and would want only one minute between rounds," said the lanky boxer from kangaroo land. "They say they have the machine perfected to that extent. Corbett talks about Jacksonville as the battleground, but I do not see how he can figure it, unless he has some good private information from his friends there. He insinuates, in an uncalled-for manner, that I do not want what Queensberry rules call for, but he need not be alarmed on that score. I am just as anxious to box as he is, and perhaps a little more so."

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Cereals.

FLOUR—Net cash—Family extra, $3 40@3 50 ⅌ bbl; Superfine, $2 40@2 65; Bakers' extra $3 50@3 40.

WHEAT—No. 1 Shipping, 86¼@87½c; choice to fancy, 88¾c, good to choice White Milling, 92½@97½c.

OATS—Feed, good to choice, 85@90c; No. 1 92½c@$1 00; choice to fancy $1 02½@1 10; Surprise, $1 05@1 15; Milling, $1 02½@1 12½; Norway Black, $1 10@1 50; Gray, 92½c@$1 02½; Red, $1 07½@1 15.

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, 80@81¼c; No. 1 Feed, 82½@83¾c; extra choice, 85c; Brewing 90@95c.

CORN—Small yellow, ctl, $1 20@1 27½; Large yellow, $1 10@1 15; White, $1 17½@1 25.

RYE—95@97½c ⅌ ctl.

BRAN—No. 1, $11@12 ⅌ ton.

MIDDLINGS—Fair to good, ⅌ ton, $16 50@17; No. 1, $17@17 50, extra choice, $18@19.

BUCKWHEAT—9 c@$1 ⅌ ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—$18@19 50 ⅌ ton.

HOPS—6@8c ⅌ lb, according to quality.

BEANS—Large White, $2 15 @ 2 30; Small White, $2 35@2 50; Pea and Tree Beans, $2 25@2 50; Butter, $1 75@1 90; Lima, $1 10@1 25; Red, $1 60@1 80; Pink, $1 10@1 35; Bayou, $1 75@1 90; Black eyed Beans, $3 00@3 25; Red Kidneys, $2@3 25 ⅌ ctl.

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard, ⅌ ctl, $2 25@2 50; native, $1 75@2; Canary, 3@3½c for California; 4@4½c for imported; Hemp, 3½@4½c; Flax, 3c@3¼c; Rape, 1¾@2½c; Timothy, 5@6c; Alfalfa, 5@7½c for California and 8@9c for Utah.

HAY—Wheat, $9@12; Clover, $8@10 50; Wild Oat, $8 50@10 50; Alfalfa, $8@9 50; Wheat and Oat, $9@11; Tame Oat, $9@10 50; Barley, $6 50@9; Stock, $6@7 50; Compressed, $9@12.

STRAW—60@75c ⅌ bale.

Fruits and Vegetables.

FRUIT.—Bananas, bch, $1 25@2 50; Apples, bx, ordinary, 35@50c; fancy, 75c@$1; Pears, box common, 25@50c; Mexican Limes, $4@4 50; Lemons, California, common, $2 00@3; fancy, $3@4; Santa Barbara, fancy, $4@5; Pineapples, dozen, $3@5; common $1@2; Cape Cod Cranberries, bbl, $11; Persimmons, box 50@75c; Oranges, Washington Navels, $2 50@3 50; Seedlings, $1 25@2; Florida Oranges, $2 75@3; Loreto Oranges, $2@2 50; Lady Apples, $2@2 50.

VEGETABLES—Beets, sk, 75@90c; Garlic, lb, 2@3½c; Cabbage, ctl, 50@70c; Cauliflower, doz, 60@75c; Parsnips, sk, $1 10@1 25; Turnips, 60@75c; Carrots, 35@50c; Tomatoes, 25@60c; Celery, doz, 40@50c; Green Peppers, bx, 35@50c; Los Angeles Green Peas, lb, 6@10c; String Beans 6@9c; Mushrooms, 5@20c; Rhubarb, bx, 75c@$1.

POTATOES—Good to choice, ctl, Early Rose, 25@35c; River Reds, 30@35c; Burbanks, River, 25c@45c; Oregon, 60@75c; Salinas, 85c@$1; Sweet Potatoes, ctl, 35c@$1; New Potatoes, lb, 2@2½c.

ONIONS—Good to choice Silverskins, 40@60c ⅌ ctl.

Dried Fruits.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, ⅌ lb, sun dried, 4@5½c; evaporated, 5@7¼c; Apricots, bleached, 6@7½c, Moorpark, 8@9½c, sun dried, 5½@7c; Peaches, bleached, unpeeled, 6@7½c; peeled boxes, 10@12c; sun dried, 5@6½c; Plums pitted, 4@5c; do, unpitted, 1@2c; French Prunes sks, ⅌ lb 60 to 60, 5¾c; 60 to 70, 5c; 70 to 80 4½c; 80 to 90, 4c; 90 to 100, 3½c; boxes, 5@5½c; ungraded, 2@4c; Pears, sliced, 3@5c; quartered, 4@6c; Figs, smyrna, ⅌ lb, 10@12c; California boxes, 75c@$1; sks, 2@3½c ⅌ lb.

Dairy Produce and Poultry.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ⅌ lb, 21@23c; fancy dairy, 18@19c; choice, 15@17c; fair to good, 12@14c; pickled roll, new, 11@16c; firkin, new, 11@17c; dairy packed tubs, 16@19c; creamery in tubs, 19@20c.

EGGS—California, choice ranch, dozen, 32½@35c; store, 24@28c; Eastern, 24@25c; Duck Eggs, nominal.

CHEESE—Mild, new, ⅌ lb, 8@10c; California Young America, choice to fancy, 8@11c; New York Cream, 13@14c; Western, 11@13c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, doz, $3 50@4 00; young, $4 50@5 00; fryers, $3 50@4; broilors, large, $3 50@4; small, $2@2 50; Hens, doz, $3 @4; Ducks, old, $3 50@5 00; young, $4 50@5 50. Turkeys, live, Hens, lb, 9@10c; Gobblers, 9@10c; dressed, 9@11c; Geese, pair, $1 50@1 75; Goslings, $1 50@1 75; Pigeons, doz, $1 25@1 50; old, $1.

GAME—Quail, $1@1 25 ⅌ doz; Ducks—Teal, $1 small, $1; Mallard, $2 50; Canvasback, $2@3; Sprig, $1 50@1 75; Widgeon, $1; Brant, $1 25@1 50; Geese—Gray, $2 50, White $1@1 25; Hare, $1@1 25, Rabbits $1 25@1 50; snipe, common, $1@1 25; do English, $2.

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MUTTON—Wethers, 5@5½c; Ewes, 4@4½c ⅌ lb.

LAMB—7@8c ⅌ lb.

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RETAIL MARKET.

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Produce and Poultry.

Eggs, California, ⅌ doz	35	@	40
Butter, choice, ⅌ roll	?	@	?
Turkeys, ⅌ lb	15	@	14
Chickens, Broilers, apiece	?	@	?
Chickens, hens, apiece	55	@	60
Chickens, Roosters, apiece	?	@	?
Geese, apiece	75	@	1 00

Vegetables and Fruit.

Potatoes ⅌ lb	?	@	1
Summer Squash, ⅌ lb	?	@	4
String Beans, ⅌ lb	6	@	7
Tomatoes, ⅌ lb	6	@	7
Strawberries, ⅌ box	?	@	?
Raspberries	?	@	30
Green Apples, ⅌ basket	50	@	?
Grapes, ⅌ box	75	@	1 00

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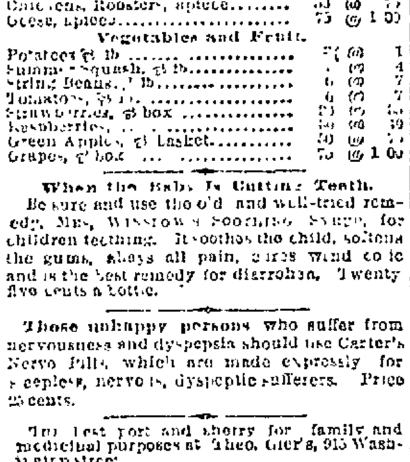

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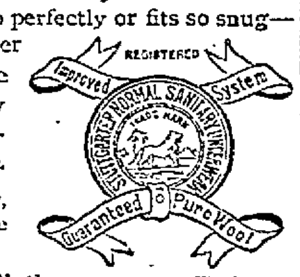

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Application for Change of Name.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the application of Lilly Magnin for change of name.

To the Honorable, the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, the petition of Lilly Magnin respectfully shows:

That your petitioner is and for a long time past immediately preceding the filing of this petition has been a bona fide resident of the County of Alameda, State of California, over the age of twenty-one years.

That your petitioner was born at San Leandro, State of California.

That the present name of your petitioner is Lilly Magnin and that the name the petitioner wishes to assume in the place and stead of Lilly Magnin is Lilly Hesser, the maiden name of petitioner.

That the reason why petitioner wishes to change her name is that she has obtained a divorce from her husband, one Joseph Magnin, and does not wish to be known in the future as Mrs. Lilly Magnin.

That the father of your petitioner is now deceased and the names of the near relatives of your petitioner are as follows, to wit: Mrs. A. Hesser, mother of petitioner, and Miss Minna Hesser, sister of petitioner, both residing at San Francisco, California, and Mrs. Clara Horrocher, sister of petitioner, residing at San Leandro, California.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that this Honorable Court will fix time and place for the hearing of this application and upon such hearing will make an order changing your petitioner's name from Lilly Magnin to Lilly Hesser.

Dated December 20, 1894.

LILLY MAGNIN, Petitioner.

JAS. P. SWEENEY Esq., Attorney for Petitioner, No. 217 Sansome Street, San Francisco.

CITATION.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California, Department No. 1—Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William A. Aldrich, deceased.

Citation.

The People of the State of California to George Albert Aldrich, Annie Aldrich Barton, Helen Aldrich Dunning, William Holt Aldrich, Minnie C. Aldrich, Helen H. Aldrich, Bernice B. Aldrich, Aileen Aldrich, William A. Aldrich and Winton D. Aldrich, Greeting:

By order of this court, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to appear before this court, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 thereof, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on Monday, the twenty-eighth (28th) day of January, A. D. 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day then and there to show cause, if any you have why the accounts of Annie Aldrich Barton, Helen Aldrich Dunning, Arthur A. Smith and Joseph M. Quay, as Trustees created in and by the last will of said William A. Aldrich, deceased, presented to and filed in this court on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1894, should not be allowed and settled.

Said accounts embrace the period commencing on the 31st day of May, 1893, and ending on the 31st day of July, 1894, and are now on file in this court, and are hereby referred to.

Witness, the Honorable W. E. GREENE, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the County of Alameda, with the seal of said court affixed, this 20th day of November, A. D. 1894.

Attest:

(SEAL OF SUPERIOR COURT OF ALAMEDA COUNTY) JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.
By ROBT. C. BEACH, Deputy Clerk.

A. N. DROWN, Attorney for Trustees, Rooms 2-4, No. 104 Sutter street, San Francisco, Cal.

MEETING NOTICES.

Annual Meeting Stockholders.

FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' SAVINGS Bank of Oakland, California.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 1103 Broadway, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 8th day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. By order of

EDSON F. ADAMS, President.
JAMES C. MCKEE, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, OAKland, Cal., December 15, 1894. The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth street Oakland, on Monday, January 14, 1895, at three o'clock P. M.

ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

Annual Meeting Stockholders Union National Bank.

THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the Corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

Stockholders' Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner Fourteenth and Broadway streets, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 P. M.

W. G. PALMANTEER, Vice-President.
C. R. YATES, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MOUNTain View Cemetery Association will be held in the parlors of the Central Bank, at 3 P. M. on Monday, January 7, 1895.

F. P. OUTRAM, Secretary.
Oakland, December 21, 1894.

LEGAL.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Martin M. Samson, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Martin M. Samson having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Martin M. Samson is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda County, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $5500 conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Martin M. Samson, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this Court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association, for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, Department No. 4, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the County of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 12th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: Filed December 12, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE,
County Clerk.

By N. G. STURTEVANT,
Deputy Clerk.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Mary Josephine Cordano, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Mary Josephine Cordano having filed in this court her petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that she is an insolvent debtor, the said Mary Josephine Cordano is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda county, be, and he is, hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $ 00, conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Mary Josephine Cordano, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all her deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of her estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to her, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for her use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

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And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 14th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

HIRAM A. LUTTRELL, Attorney for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—SAVINGS AND LOAN society, 101 Montgomery street, corner Sutter, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895.

CYRUS W. CARMANY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — THE OAKLAND Bank of Savings, Oakland Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on ALL savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal, from and after January 1, 1895.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, 532 California street, corner of Webb—For the half year ending with the 31st day of December, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent, per annum on term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d of January, 1895.

LOVELL WHITE, Cashier.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, Cal.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. — FOR THE SIX months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d day of January, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest.

JAMES C. MCKEE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, OAKLAND, California—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1894, at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term accounts, payable on and after January 2, 1895.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — CENTRAL BANK, Oakland, Cal., for the six months ending December 31st, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term deposits, payable on and after January 1, 1895. Said dividend, if not called for, to be added to principal and draw like interest from January 1, 1895.

C. R. YATES, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. — THE GERMAN Savings and Loan Society, 526 California street, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and four and one-sixth (4⅙) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2d, 1895.

GEO. TOURNY, Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of ALICE A. DAVIS, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, executrix of the estate of Alice A. Davis, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix, at the office of Chickering, Thomas & Gregory and Gerstle & Sloss, 206 Sansome street, San Francisco, Cal., which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Alice A. Davis, deceased.

MARY E. EVANS,
Executrix of the estate of Alice A. Davis, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 3, 1894.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of HENRY BLAKE, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, administrator of the estate of Henry Blake, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at Mills building, corner Montgomery and Bush streets, Room 38, fourth floor, San Francisco, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

F. L. BENJAMIN,
Administrator of the estate of Henry Blake, deceased.

Dated at San Francisco, November 27, 1894.

WINTER SPORTS.

Two Entertainments at Reliance Club.

Football Players Anxious for the Contest.

Acme Athletes Are Preparing for a Busy Season.

A review of the sporting events of the past week is recorded herewith.

THE UMPIRE.

Tip O'Neill dropped into Oakland Saturday night for the purpose of visiting some of his old friends and spending Christmas with them. I met the ex-captain on Broadway, and as usual he was ready to talk baseball. O'Neill has not been attached to a regular club during the past year, but he has had employment all the same and has made just as much money as many of the players. He is still associated with Colonel Robinson cleaning up and disposing of the remains of the Midwinter fair. He has managed to live well and has laid aside a little money, for Tip always looks out for a rainy day. He is just as enthusiastic as ever on baseball, and has been watching every move that has been made looking towards the formation of a new league for next year.

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The Yacht Club Will Elect Officers Tomorrow.

The California Yacht Club will hold its annual election of officers tomorrow night. The election day will also be the anniversary of the club's existence. The organization was formed by Al Duncomb, W. C. Wallace, A. Wilson, Jacob Hanlon, Jack Sherry, Louis McMurtry and B. Palmer.

The little band of enthusiasts had a hard row to hoe. Their number was small and money was scarce. But they had perseverance, and after leasing some land on the estuary, opposite the foot of Broadway, they turned to and with their own hands built a neat little clubhouse, which has been the scene of many an hospitable gathering.

The present board of officers is as follows: E. A. Von Schmidt, commodore; Arthur Wilson, vice commodore; Jack Sherry, port captain; Ed Walter, treasurer; Bruce Palmer, secretary; and Al Duncomb, Louis McMurtry and Captain Wilson, board of directors.

Thanks to the retiring officers, the club is in splendid condition both financially and in point of membership.

THEY MAY WIN.

Reliance Football Players Are Very Confident.

The result of the Chicago-Stanford game has given the Reliance men something to work on. They see the Eastern visitors are not invincible. Stagg's men triumphed over Stanford because the latter were in poor trim and without the full complement of players which lined up against Berkeley on Thanksgiving Day. Although weak the Californians, by the repetition of one play through Wyant and Allen, gained thirty-five yards. The local team will easily outclass Chicago's victims of yesterday. Bert Oliver has hardly a peer in the West, while Pringle, Maron Oliver, Edwards and Walton with the assistance of their fellows may be depended on to break up the interference and wedges of the sturdy athletes from the windy city and carry the ball to the enemy's goal. From now to New Year's day practice will be redoubled.

Particular study will be devoted to the checkmating of Chicago's prize plays, and the mighty men of Oakland will line up at Haight street with the reasonable assurance of successfully defending the championship of the West.

Experts, after a close study of yesterday's game, declare that the Reliance boys stand an excellent chance to win.

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PERSONAL.

P. W. Barton of Alameda has returned from Los Angeles.

D. L. Peusto of Amador county is visiting in this city.

Eugene Edwards of Suisun is spending the holidays with his parents in Berkeley.

Rafael Demoro of Berkeley leaves for San Salvador on January 8th.

C. L. Clarke of West Oakland is visiting in Sacramento.

J. T. Jepson of San Jose is sojourning in this city.

Miss Mary E. Foy, teacher of English literature in the Los Angeles High school, spent Christmas with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Taliesin Evans, and left this morning for Santa Cruz to attend the State Teachers' Association.

Wigs, dominos and masquerade supplies at Marvin's Hair Parlors, 1153 Washington street.

Miss R. A. Gallagher, Millinery, 1153 Washington street. Orders a specialty.

RANDOM NOTES.

The street railway between Lowell and Haverhill, Mass., is forty-two miles long. It is a continuous line and the longest in the world.

A horse thief has been jailed in Indiana who is said to have stolen more than a thousand horses.

In Berlin the rush to call boy babies Aegir, since the appearance of the Emperor's "Song to Aegir," has brought trouble on the registrar of births, who is forbidden by law to receive Pagan names. The matter has been referred to the Court Chamberlain.

It is proposed in Paris to establish a Grand Prix of $6,000 for bicyclists of all nations, the first race to come off next summer at Vincennes. A committee of the Municipal Council is considering how the money can be raised.

Sittings are free in forty-four out of the eighty-three Protestant Episcopal churches and chapels of New York, and the tendency is toward an extension of the free-seat system. Trinity Church and five of its chapels have free sittings, and the seats are free in most of the chapels attached to the richer parishes.

A "penny walk," which is now in vogue in New York, is one in which at every corner a penny is tossed to determine which way the walkers shall go. The directions that the sides of the penny shall indicate are decided in advance; thus it may be decided that heads shall mean right and tails left. Sometimes the penny walk takes the walkers on a course of many turns, and sometimes it takes them round and round the block.

A hundred head of ranch horses—sturdy, unbroken broncos from Wyoming—were sold in Denver for $90 and the freight recently. It is reported that a big stock firm in Idaho has turned more than 250 ponies adrift to shift for themselves during the winter, as it was cheaper to do this than to provide food for them. The firm could not get even a dollar apiece for them.

The chemical examination of the stains on the holy coat at Argenteuil, set on foot by the Bishop of Versailles, has resulted in a report by the two scientific experts engaged that the spots are of human blood and are very old.

Owing to the opposition of archaeologists, the plans for the proposed reservoir at Assouan in Egypt have been modified so as to make the top of the dam twenty-six feet lower. This will save the temples at Philæ and other monuments, but will only supply water enough to irrigate either middle or lower Egypt, instead of both.

Over 1000 yards of linen cloth have been unrolled from one mummy. The cloth, in texture, resembles the cheese cloth of the present somewhat; it is finer in quality.

The simultaneous presence of four generations—represented by the Queen, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York and the latter's baby son—at Windsor, the other day, is a fact unique in the history of the English monarchy.—*New York Herald.*

A moral wave has struck Cleveland, Ohio. Orders have been given by the police that every gambler, thief, crook, divekeeper, owner of any resort where thieves are known to congregate, every loafer and drunkard and, in fact, every person whose presence in the city menaces the safety of the public must leave the city at once. Cleveland's purification will be its neighbor's menace.

Holiday Candies
As usual the largest assortment of candy baskets, fancy boxes, comic imitations, etc., also the purest and finest candies at lowest prices can be found at Lehnhardt's, 1159 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets. Special rates to Sunday schools.

A Hard Worker
And success should crown his untiring efforts to please any and all with whom he may come in contact, both socially or in a business way.

Referring to B. C. Lund, who has recently gone to a large expense in fitting up the finest cycling parlors in Oakland, which are located in the Central Bank building, on Fourteenth street, we would say, that he has executed splendid judgement in having arranged the salesroom, renting room and ladies' dressing room on the ground floor and the repairing department and storeroom in the basement. He carries a full line of the Columbia and Cleveland wheels, besides a large assortment of cheaper and smaller ones for the holiday trade. He makes a specialty of teaching and can be found at the Central Cyclery, 126 Fourteenth street, corner Broadway.

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Gold Bars on the Street.
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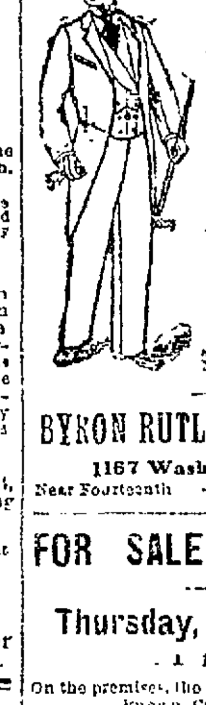

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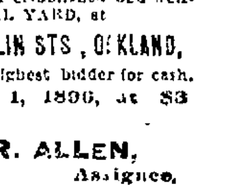

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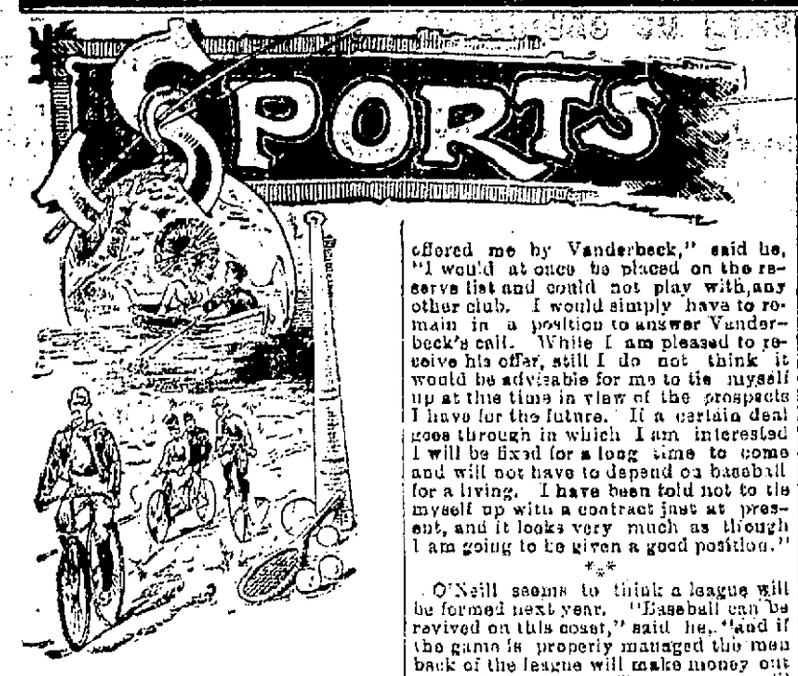

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On one occasion, Herrelson woke up and carried the pigskin twenty-five yards before he was downed. Her points were made on a blocked kick, similar to the Thanksgiving Day fluke, on which Frankenheimer broke through Chicago's line, secured the ball and touched it down.

ON THE ESTUARY.

The Yacht Club Will Elect Officers Tomorrow.

The California Yacht Club will hold its annual election of officers tomorrow night. The election day will also be the anniversary of the club's existence. The organization was formed by Al Duncomb, W. C. Wallace, A. Wilson, Jacob Hanlon, Jack Sherry, Louis McMurtry and B. Palmer.

The little band of enthusiasts had a hard row to hoe. Their number was small and money was scarce. But they had perseverance, and after leasing some land on the estuary, opposite the foot of Broadway, they turned to and with their own hands built a neat little clubhouse, which has been the scene of many an hospitable gathering.

The present board of officers is as follows: E. A. Von Schmidt, commodore; Arthur Wilson, vice commodore; Jack Sherry, port captain; Ed Walter, treasurer; Bruce Palmer, secretary; and Al Duncomb, Louis McMurtry and Captain Wilson, board of directors.

Thanks to the retiring officers, the club is in splendid condition both financially and in point of membership.

THEY MAY WIN.

Reliance Football Players Are Very Confident.

The result of the Chicago-Stanford game has given the Reliance men something to work on. They see the Eastern visitors are not invincible. Stagg's men triumphed over Stanford because the latter were in poor trim and without the full complement of players which lined up against Berkeley on Thanksgiving Day. Although weak the Californians, by the repetition of one play through Wyant and Allen, gained thirty-five yards. The local team will easily outclass Chicago's victims of yesterday. Bert Oliver has hardly a peer in the West, while Pringle, Marion Oliver, Edwards and Walton with the assistance of their fellows may be depended on to break up the interference and wedges of the sturdy athletes from the windy city and carry the ball to the enemy's goal. From now to New Year's day practice will be redoubled.

Particular study will be devoted to the checkmating of Chicago's prize plays, and the mighty men of Oakland will line up at Haight street with the reasonable assurance of successfully defending the championship of the West.

Experts, after a close study of yesterday's game, declare that the Reliance boys stand an excellent chance to win.

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PERSONAL.

P. W. Barton of Alameda has returned from Los Angeles.

D. L. Pouste of Amador county is visiting in this city.

Eugene Edwards of Suisun is spending the holidays with his parents in Berkeley.

Rafael Demoro of Berkeley leaves for San Salvador on January 8th.

C. L. Clarke of West Oakland is visiting in Sacramento.

J. T. Jepson of San Jose is sojourning in this city.

Miss Mary E. Foy, teacher of English literature in the Los Angeles High school, spent Christmas with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Taliesin Evans, and left this morning for Santa Cruz to attend the State Teachers' Association.

Wigs, dominos and masquerade supplies at Marvin's Hair Parlors, 1128 Washington street.

Miss R. A. Gallagher, Millinery, 1153 Washington street. Orders a specialty.

RANDOM NOTES.

The street railway between Lowell and Haverhill, Mass., is forty-two miles long. It is a continuous line and the longest in the world.

A horse thief has been jailed in Indiana who is said to have stolen more than a thousand horses.

In Berlin the rush to call boy babies Aegir, since the appearance of the Emperor's "Song to Aegir," has brought trouble on the registrar of births, who is forbidden by law to receive Pagan names. The matter has been referred to the Court Chamberlain.

It is proposed in Paris to establish a Grand Prix of $6,000 for bicyclists of all nations, the first race to come off next summer at Vincennes. A committee of the Municipal Council is considering how the money can be raised.

Sittings are free in forty-four out of the eighty-three Protestant Episcopal churches and chapels of New York, and the tendency is toward an extension of the free-seat system. Trinity Church and five of its chapels have free sittings, and the seats are free in most of the chapels attached to the richer parishes.

A "penny walk," which is now in vogue in New York, is one in which at every corner a penny is tossed to determine which way the walkers shall go. The directions that the sides of the penny shall indicate are decided in advance; thus it may be decided that heads shall mean right and tails left. Sometimes the penny walk takes the walkers on a course of many turns, and sometimes it takes them round and round the block.

A hundred head of ranch horses—sturdy, unbroken broncos from Wyoming—were sold in Denver for $30 and the freight recently. It is reported that a big stock firm in Idaho has turned more than 250 ponies adrift to shift for themselves during the winter, as it was cheaper to do this than to provide food for them. The firm could not get even a dollar apiece for them.

The chemical examination of the stains on the holy coat at Argenteuil, set on foot by the Bishop of Versailles, has resulted in a report by the two scientific experts engaged that the spots are of human blood and are very old.

Owing to the opposition of archæologists, the plans for the proposed reservoir at Assouan in Egypt have been modified so as to make the top of the dam twenty-six feet lower. This will save the temples at Philæ and other monuments, but will only supply water enough to irrigate either middle or lower Egypt, instead of both.

Over 1000 yards of linen cloth have been unrolled from one mummy. The cloth, in texture, resembles the cheese cloth of the present somewhat; it is finer in quality.

The simultaneous presence of four generations—represented by the Queen, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York and the latter's baby son—at Windsor, the other day, is a fact unique in the history of the English monarchy.—*New York Herald.*

A moral wave has struck Cleveland, Ohio. Orders have been given by the police that every gambler, thief, crook, divekeeper, owner of any resort where thieves are known to congregate, every loafer and drunkard and, in fact, every person whose presence in the city menaces the safety of the public must leave the city at once. Cleveland's purification will be its neighbor's menace.

Holiday Candies.
As usual the largest assortment of candy baskets, fancy boxes, comic imitations, etc., also the purest and finest candies at lowest prices can be found at Lehnhardt's, 1159 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets. Special rates to Sunday Schools.

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And success should crown his untiring efforts to please any and all with whom he may come in contact, both socially or in a business way.

Referring to E. C. Land, who has recently gone to a large expense in fitting up the finest cycling parlors in Oakland, which are located in the Central Bank building, on Fourteenth street, we would say, that he has executed splendid judgment in having arranged the salesroom, renting room and ladies' dressing room on the ground floor and the repairing department and storeroom in the basement.

He carries a full line of the Columbia and Cleveland wheels, besides a large assortment of cheaper and smaller ones for the holiday trade. He makes a specialty of teaching and can be found at the Central Cyclery, 426 Fourteenth street, corner Broadway.

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There was a great deal of excitement on Eleventh street, near Broadway, at noon today. It was at first supposed that somebody had been injured, but it was afterwards ascertained that the crowd was attracted by curiosity to witness the transhipment to San Francisco of two immense gold bars by means of the Whitney Rapid Transfer Company, whose office is at 1072 Broadway, corner Tenth street.

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